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JUDGE ARCHBALD DECLARED GUILTY

SENATE FINDING
WAS ISSUED TO-DAY

United States Jurist Will Be
Removed From Bench of
Commerce Court

VOTE, SIXTY-EIGHT
AGAINST, FIVE FOR

Convicted on First Count on
Charge of Misuse of Office
and Power

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Judge Robert W. Archbald, of the commerce court, was found guilty to-day by the senate, sitting as a court of impeachment, of having misused his office and power as a judge for his personal gain. The penalty is removal from office.

Archbald was convicted on the first count of thirteen which the House of Representatives brought against him. It is charged that he had used his position as a judge to persuade the Erie Railroad Company to give to him and E. J. Williams, of Scranton, an option on a coal dump at a price probably \$30,000 less than its real value.

On this, the first charge, the senate voted 68 to 5 for conviction of high crimes and misdemeanors.

Although the verdict insured Judge Archbald's removal from the bench and the service of the United States courts, the senate then proceeded to vote on the other twelve counts of the articles of impeachment, which charged various other acts where Archbald had improperly used his influence as a judge.

At this trial the accused judge admitted practically all the facts of every accusation brought against him, but protested in defence that none of them was wrongful nor corrupt, nor could he have been convicted in any court of law for them.

The conviction upon the first count came with an unexpected majority against Judge Archbald, but two-thirds being necessary for a conviction. As the roll call proceeded sixty-eight senators rose slowly in their places and pronounced the word "Guilty" in low tones.

As the vote on the first article was announced, Senator Horie Smith, of Georgia, moved that the senate go into executive session. He said that he believed a vote on the other counts might be dispensed with or abridged by secret deliberation.

Senator Culbertson and Senator Poinsett objected that the senate could not vote on the articles in executive session. After some discussion Senator Smith withdrew the motion, and the clerk proceeded to read the second article.

Senator Bacon, who had presided throughout the impeachment proceedings, asked to be excused from voting. Judge Archbald waited in an anteroom to hear the verdict which removes him from public life. All eyes at the moment the verdict was announced were riveted upon a woman in the senate gallery so closely resembling Mrs. Archbald that she was mistaken for the judge's wife. Mrs. Archbald was not present.

With Judge Archbald as he received the vote of the senate were Mrs. Archbald, his son Hugh Archbald, and Mrs. Hugh Archbald.

Not guilty was the verdict on the second article of impeachment which charged Judge Archbald with having attempted to obtain a fee by settling a case between the Marion Coal Company and the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad. The vote was 45 to 23 in the judge's favor.

The vote on the third charge, which found Judge Archbald guilty by a vote of 69 to 11. The vote on the fourth article of impeachment again resulted in Judge Archbald's conviction. The vote for conviction was 32 to 29. The fifth vote resulted in another verdict of guilty. The vote for conviction was 66 to 6.

Judge Archbald was acquitted on the sixth charge, the voting for conviction being 24 to 45. A verdict of not guilty was voted on the seventh article. The vote was 29 to 36, and was held not guilty on the charge in the eighth article. The vote for conviction, 22 to 42, failed of the necessary two-thirds.

A verdict of not guilty was voted on the ninth article, the vote for conviction being 23 to 33. On the tenth article, Judge Archbald was again held not guilty, the vote for conviction being 1 to 43.

Two Million-Dollar Fire at Calgary Burns & Co. Packing House Destroyed

Largest Butchering and Storage Plant in Western Canada in
Ruins Through Flames That Burned Twenty Thousand
Carcasses Yesterday—Insurance Covered Plant
and \$1,000,000 Was Placed on Stock

Calgary, Jan. 12.—The most disastrous fire in the history of Western Canada occurred Sunday when the large packing plant of P. Burns & Co., was totally destroyed by fire. The loss, including carcasses in cold storage, will probably be in excess of \$2,000,000. On account of the low water pressure the fire department was unable to do much work, and at a late hour last night the fire was still raging. The loss is serious in that the local plant was the largest institution of its kind in the West, from which all of the western cities, including Vancouver and Victoria, and the coast cities drew largely for their meat supply, and butchering occupation may have to be resorted to to prevent a meat famine. The storage plant contained from 15,000 to 20,000 carcasses.

The fire was discovered about 12:30 o'clock Sunday morning. The whole of the basement was in flames, and the packing plant employees, augmented by all members of the city fire department, were unable to make any headway against the flames. This was due in a measure to the low water pressure and also to the ammonia fumes in the basement, which were so strong that the men could not endure them.

Repeatedly the firemen entered the basement, only to be driven back by the overpowering fumes. In a short time the fire had got into the greasewood floors of the upper storeys, and when this occurred the water had no effect whatever. Several of the firemen had narrow escapes from exploding ammonia tanks, but no one was seriously injured. The fire raged furiously all day, and to-night little remained of the magnificent plant but charred ruins.

The Burns plant had its start when P. Burns, then a very young man, came to Calgary about twenty years ago. It is related that his sole capital was one lone beef steer. Its growth has kept pace with the development of this section, and it has made its owner one of the richest men in the West, his wealth being reputed to be in the neighborhood of \$15,000,000.

The company also operates plants in Edmonton and Vancouver, but the bulk of the meat product has been sent out of the Calgary plant.

The plant destroyed was fully insured, the insurance on the stock in storage being in the neighborhood of \$1,000,000.

Mr. P. Burns is in Toronto, but it is understood that the work of rebuilding the plant will be undertaken as soon as the weather will permit.

Vancouver, Jan. 12.—That the destruction of several thousand carcasses of beef and mutton, which were stored in the packing and cold storage plant of P. Burns & Co. at Calgary, may affect the prices of meat in Vancouver was the admission by W. J. Blake Wilson, Vancouver manager for P. Burns, in conversation last night.

"In view of the continued scarcity

NO MEAT SHORTAGE

Calgary, Jan. 12.—It is announced here by Manager Black, of P. Burns & Company, to-day, that the firm will be able to take care of business just the same as usual, as the firm has a large herd of cattle near here which can be drawn on at once.

Of cattle," said Mr. Wilson, "there is a possibility that the present prices will be slightly affected. When the fire started there were over 5,000 beefs and some 20,000 carcasses of mutton stored in the refrigerating plant, in addition to thousands of pounds of butter, eggs and other perishable commodities, and as far as I can gather by wire nothing has been saved from the plant."

When the total meat consumption of Canada was taken into consideration, Mr. Wilson pointed out that the loss of this comparatively small consignment of meat seemed insignificant, but to Western Canada, it would mean much, as cattle were never more scarce than at the present time.

Mr. Wilson said that in a telegram received yesterday noon he was notified that the fire was completely under control, but a later message informed him that, owing to the extreme cold weather, which caused a low pressure, the firemen were unable to hold their ground, and the fire again burst out in the concrete section of the huge plant.

Upon receiving news yesterday that the plant was in flames Dominic Burns left Vancouver for Calgary.

It has not yet been determined to what extent the price of meat in the coast markets will be affected by the destruction of the cold storage plant of Messrs. P. Burns & Co. at Calgary.

A great scarcity of beef existed in the prairie provinces and British Columbia prior to the fire, it is evidenced by the fact that this firm recently shipped 30 carloads of Ontario beef to its Calgary headquarters and for the first time in its history it imported 1,000 carcasses of beef on the last steamer from Australia. The beef came in cold storage.

To help meet the shortage in the western market, where conditions promise to grow worse unless the farmers engage in mixed farming, P. Burns & Co. recently acquired a tract of 70,000 acres of grazing lands in Lower California, where it is proposed to engage in cattle ranching on an extensive scale. The firm intends to ultimately derive from that region a large portion of the beef that was formerly secured on the Canadian prairies.

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THE LOCAL OUTLOOK

On hearing of the destruction by fire of the P. Burns & Company plant at Calgary, local butchering interests this morning were adverse to discussing the matter at any length at present, but were nevertheless dubious of the immediate future and the supply of meat for the Victoria and surrounding markets. There seems to be no doubt in their minds that the result of the conflagration will be followed by an increase in the cost of meat, both to wholesalers and to retailers in Victoria, the latter event naturally following the former.

While all the supplies are not drawn from P. Burns & Company for the local market, other butchers expect the demand for carcasses that will be set up at once will have the effect of tightening the supply. Consequently they see not only a probability of higher prices for western Canada but also a very probable scarcity in the local trade for at least a time.

ALL BUT FIVE SIGN THE LAW MEMORIAL

SIR JOHN SIMON IS
HEARD ON PROBLEMS

Solicitor-General Says if Unionists
Haul Down Flag It
Will Show Fear

London, Jan. 12.—The memorial prepared and presented to Bonar Law by the members of the Unionist party is signed by all but five of the party. The leader of the opposition will confer with Lord Lansdowne before making his reply, but promises that reply at the earliest possible date.

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OTTOMAN CABINET ABOUT TO RESIGN

AMBASSADORS TAKE
UP WAR SETTLEMENT

Roumania Declared to Have
Separated From Neutrality
and Ships War Material

BULGARIAN LOSS IN
WAR NOW COMPILED

Twenty-One Thousand Men
and Two Hundred and
Eighty-Four Officers

London, Jan. 12.—The Turkish newspaper Tasfir-i Efkâr says that the Ottoman cabinet has decided to resign, according to a dispatch from Constantinople to-day. It is believed to indicate the prominence of the influence of the war party.

The issue of peace or war will rest with Constantinople after the final drafting of the note to the Ottoman government, which will be settled at to-day's meeting of the ambassadors at the British foreign office. The ambassadors will decide also the mode and time of presentation of the document to the Porte.

The convocation of the Turkish grand council is considered a sign in favor of peace. If Turkey were ready for war, a calling together of the council would be necessary. The negotiations continue between E. Jönescu, minister of interior of Roumania, and Dr. S. Danef, leader of the Bulgarian peace delegation. It seems that the Roumanian question is being handled in a friendly manner, and it is declared she is able to prove that Bucharest allowed 500 trucks of war material from Germany to pass through Roumanian territory on the way to Turkey.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 12.—The official list of casualties in the Bulgarian army since the beginning of the war with Turkey shows that 284 officers and 21,018 men have been killed or have succumbed from their wounds, and 51,000 men were wounded or put on the sick list. Of these 70 per cent. have since recovered and rejoined the army.

The Bulgarian government has asked for the services of seventy Russian and Czech physicians to combat infectious diseases which appeared in various regions. The native Bulgarian physicians are all absent serving with the army in the field.

The European powers will present their peace note to the Turkish government immediately. The final draft was agreed to unanimously at to-day's meeting of the ambassadors.

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CIVIC NOMINATIONS ARE RECORDED TO-DAY

Candidates for Offices of Mayor, Aldermen and School Trustees
for City of Victoria as Declared by W. W. Northcott,
Returning Officer at 2 o'clock This Afternoon

ELECTION TAKES PLACE THURSDAY NEXT

The following were nominated to-day as candidates for the various offices of the city to be elected on Thursday next. Returning Officer W. W. Northcott declared the nominations closed at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

FOR MAYOR:
John Leander Beckwith, Alfred J. Morley.

FOR ALDERMEN:
A. E. Armbruster, Edward Bragg, Herbert Cuthbert, H. W. Davies, John Dilworth, W. F. Fullerton, W. A. Gleason, W. H. R. Humber, W. K. Houston, John Meeson, George McCandless, J. D. McDonald, A. B. McNeill, George Oliver, R. J. Porter, A. R. Sherck, Christian Sivertz, W. C. Van Munster.

FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEES:
Mrs. A. E. Clayton, Dr. David Donald, Mrs. Margaret Jenkins, J. L. Martin, and W. E. Stenland.

HEALTH OF DUCHESS SHOWS IMPROVEMENT

Troublesome Cough is Disappearing and Strength is Being Maintained

Montreal, Jan. 12.—Bulletins issued from Victoria hospital in regard to the health of H. R. H. Duchess of Connaught Sunday night and to-day, announce that her Royal Highness is maintaining her strength, and that while her convalescence will be slow, it will be uninterrupted.

The bulletin of last night says the Duchess is free from pain and discomfort, while that issued to-day is as follows:

"H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught passed a somewhat better night. Her cough was a little troublesome, but otherwise her condition continues to show improvement and her strength is maintained."

A later bulletin issued at 12:30 to-day is as follows:

"H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught passed the best night last night since arriving in the hospital. The cough which troubled her Royal Highness for the last two days was much less troublesome this morning. The Duchess is taking nourishment well and is gaining strength."

ALLAN, SASK., Jan. 12.—Heavy loss occurred here by fire to-day when a bank, three general stores and a real estate office were completely destroyed. A cold west wind was blowing. The loss is \$50,000.

CANADIAN CAPITALISTS WILL APPEAL TO BRITISH GOVERNMENT FOR PROTECTION OF INTERESTS FROM MEXICAN DISTURBANCES

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—It is understood that representations will be made to the British government in behalf of Canadian capital invested in Mexico to see if something cannot be done to prevent the frequent revolutions which are imperiling the large amount of money sunk in Mexican enterprises. Some twenty-five million dollars of

Canadian capital has been invested in the Mexican Northwest railway alone. Time and again bridges have been burned and tracks torn up, and yet the government insists on the operation of the line. This road has about 800 miles of track, Dr. F. H. Pearson, of New York, is president, and two of the Canadian directors are E. R. Wood, of Toronto, and Sir William Van Horne.

THIRTY SHILLINGS BONUS FOR ALL BABIES BORN IN THE UNITED KINGDOM HENCEFORTH

London, Jan. 12.—Beginning to-day every child born in the United Kingdom to parents insured under the new National Insurance Act will bring the parents a bounty of thirty shillings. Under the new act the mother also is entitled to sick benefits during her illness. There are about 1,200,000 births annually in the United Kingdom. It is expected that fully 1,000,000 of these will be entitled to the insurance benefit. One expected effect of the scheme is an improvement in the national physique, which is said to have suffered considerably because many mothers are denied necessities.

MODERN VENUS DE MILO FOUND IN PERSON OF LONDON WEST END DRESSMAKER'S MODEL

London, Jan. 12.—London claims it has a woman nearer the proportions of the Venus de Milo than Miss Soet, of Brooklyn, in Miss Marjorie Watson, a West End dressmaker's model, whose measurements are vouched for by Ethel Bailey, well-known artist. Miss Watson's measurements are: Height, 55.75 inches; head, 22.5; neck, 13; chest, 35.5; waist, 24.5; hips, 35.5; arms, 24.5; legs, 35.5; feet, 9.5. She is said to be a perfect copy of the Venus de Milo.

Miss Bailey adds: "Miss Watson's head is quite Greek. Her complexion is perfect and needs no aid from art. She is a true type of English beauty. She has light brown hair and blue, laughing eyes."

Miss Watson says she has lived the ordinary life of other girls. She has never gone in for physical training, but rides a bicycle and swims.



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MONGOLIA IS URGED ON TREATY MEASURE

RUSSIAN INFLUENCE FOR JAPANESE TRADE

Deputation to St. Petersburg Presents the Czar With Thrones and Other Gifts

St. Petersburg, Jan. 13.—Russia is urging Mongolia to negotiate a commercial treaty with Japan so as to interest Japan in the maintenance of the new condition of things and to counterbalance the efforts of China, which offers to open Mongolia to foreign trade if its sovereignty is restored.

The Novoe Vremya to-day says that Prince Khanda Van, the foreign minister of the new state of Mongolia and leader of the deputation now in St. Petersburg, is proving most amenable to all the Russian propositions. Khanda Van, it is said, has private reasons for hating the Chinese, who are alleged to have poisoned his only son in Peking. Russia on the other hand, has paid him \$15,000 to compensate him for losses in a cattle deal with a Russian subject five years ago.

The deputation from Urgan brought with it a number of Mongolian thrones and other characteristic presents for the Emperor of Russia.

BEATTIE NESBITT SAID TO BE DYING

Toronto, Jan. 12.—"We entertain no hope for his recovery," said Mr. Graham Chambers "on Saturday in speaking of the condition of Dr. Beattie Nesbitt. It was called out at 11 o'clock this morning, and I found him in a semi-conscious state. He is suffering from dropsy, and is dangerously ill."

All hope of his appearance for trial was practically abandoned after a conference of the judge and lawyers in the case held Friday, and the information given by the doctor as to Mr. Nesbitt's condition is believed to have been of a startling serious character.

HARRIMAN'S ESTATE.

New York, Jan. 12.—The estate of the late E. H. Harriman aggregates \$70,000,000 to \$75,000,000, according to an estimate reached yesterday by the transfer tax appraisers with a complete inventory in hand.



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SNOWSLIDES HOLD UP NORTHERN PACIFIC AND MILWAUKEE TRAINS

All Wires Are Down and Twenty Feet Fall Covers Tracks in Cascade Mountains—Portland Suffering From Sleet Storm That Stops Traffic and Puts Out Lights

Ellensburg, Wash., Jan. 13.—Snow slide after snow slide and a number of deep drifts on both the Northern Pacific and Milwaukee roads have completely tied up the trans-continental traffic over the Cascade mountains via this route. Snow has been falling incessantly in the hills since Sunday, and at the summit it has measured twenty feet. All wires are down.

Almost one consecutive slide ten miles in length, near Laconia, is blocking the Milwaukee road. Saturday's "Olympian," which was sent through here as far as Cle-Elum, remained at that place until yesterday afternoon, when it was turned around and started back to Chicago, Ill.

Passengers from Cle-Elum say that two engines were needed to get the big steel trains started out of the yards. Drifts were bucked without result by the big mallet engine until a helper was put on to assist. Only a handful of passengers was on the train yesterday. Northern Pacific train No. 279 of Saturday night was caught between two slides at Upham and held there all night.

The North Coast Limited of Saturday was kept here all night and yesterday morning it was consolidated

here with Saturday's No. 5, and sent to Pasco as No. 2. Railroad men state that the road may be opened to-day. Ten carloads of extra laborers were sent up the mountains to shovel snow drifts. The blizzard is still raging in the hills, according to reports of line-men.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 13.—A sleet storm that threatens to turn into one of Portland's famous silver thaws broke in the outlying district last night, and in several localities reached such proportions that it caused lights to go out and interfered with the schedule of street cars. The heaviest of the storms were reported from the vicinity of Mount Tabor and along the Troutdale electric line, where driving sleet collected upon wires, poles and trees. Up to the present time in the lower sections along the river the sleet was melted into rain driven by a heavy east wind.

Fear is felt that the storm may become severe, as it did last year, when a silver thaw broke down the telegraph and telephone wires, ruined trees, demoralized street car service and otherwise did "thousands" of dollars' worth of damage in Portland.

POLICE PROTECTION FOR KNIGHT OF OLD

Advertising Scheme for Moving Picture House. Has Novel Ending in London

London, Jan. 12.—A novel but disastrous advertising "stunt" caused the downfall of Henry Buckingham, who was hired by a moving picture theatre to advertise the performance by riding through the streets of London as a knight of old.

Clad in a full suit of armor, the old knight rode forth, according to contract, ready to conquer not the hearts of the winsome ladies of the day, but the three-penny bits of the pleasure-loving populace. So great was his conquest becoming that he had to seek police protection in order to escape from the aroused people. Nevertheless, although Buckingham did succeed in securing protection, he himself was secured by a London bobby, who arrested him for disturbing the traffic.

INSURANCE ACT IN FORCE DURING WEEK

Vote of \$50,000,000 Available for Initial Payments on New Measure

London, Jan. 12.—Chancellor Lloyd George's National Insurance Act, despite the persistent opposition it has received from the medical profession of Britain, will be put into full operation during the week. The sickness and maternity benefits will commence to-day and the medical benefits will be in order on Wednesday next.

A vote of \$50,000,000 is available for the initial payments, and no hitch in the working of the act is expected by the government.

TITANIC COMMITTEE SENDS OUT REPORT

Board of Trade Advisors Recommend Lifeboat Additions and Pontoon Rafts

London, Jan. 12.—The carrying of extra lifeboats sufficient for the accommodation of all passengers and crew of ocean liners is recommended in the report of a committee appointed after the Titanic disaster to advise the British Board of Trade. The report recommends that the extra boats or stowed under the boats attached to the davits with satisfactory arrangements for launching each of them in turn from the same set of davits. In foreign-going vessels, in which the boat accommodations would be so large that all could not be stowed in this way, the committee recommended that the carrying of properly-equipped reversible pontoon rafts should be allowed. These should be capable of accommodating not more than 25 per cent. of the persons the vessel is certified to carry. The rafts should be of such size that they could be thrown from the deck if necessary.

FLIES TO GREAT HEIGHT:

Bruce, France, Jan. 12.—Maurice Chevalier, driving a light aeroplane, yesterday established a world's altitude record, carrying three passengers. He rose to a height of 4,931 feet.

PRICE OF TELEPHONE SYSTEM IS DECIDED

British Government to Pay National Company \$62,576,320 for the Concern

London, Jan. 12.—The British government is to pay the National Telephone Company of the United Kingdom \$62,576,320 for its property, according to a decision reached by the railway and canal commission, sitting as a court of arbitration. The whole of the telephone system in the British Isles passed into the hands of the state on January 1, 1912.

The National Telephone Company originally asked \$105,000,000 for its interests, but during the 73 days' trial just ended, this claim was reduced by many millions.

THREE THOUSAND ARE DRIVEN FROM HOMES

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 12.—The Ohio river continued to rise steadily but more slowly to-day, the stage at 9 o'clock being 61.2 feet. The government forecaster predicted that probably a maximum stage of 62 feet would be reached. It was estimated that 3,000 persons had been driven from their homes in Cincinnati and cities of Covington, Newport and Dayton, across the river in Kentucky. Many factories have been flooded and hundreds of persons thrown out of work.

SEVEN YEARS FOR MAN WHO STOLE \$84,000

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 12.—Wallace I. Pollard, Pacific Coast sales manager of the International Harvester Company, was sentenced to seven years in San Quentin penitentiary to-day for pecuniary fraud aggregating \$84,000.

Pollard had been a trusted employee for seven years. He had no bad habits and his thefts were prompted solely by a desire to establish himself independently in business. He speculated in moving picture ventures and lost.

AN ENLIGHTENED AGE. Viscount Hythe Says Labor Troubles Are the Result of Education.

Speaking at the London Chamber of Commerce, the other day, and taking as his subject "Labor Co-partnership as a Remedy for Industrial Disputes," Viscount Hythe reminded a large assembly of employers of labor of the exceptional position he holds for speaking with authority on questions of capital and labor.

"I approach consideration of the labor question," he remarked, "as the grandson of one of the largest employers of labor 50 years ago, who had at times 70,000 men in his employ, made a fortune as a railway contractor, and never had a strike."

"I served for some 15 years on the board of one of the largest and most successful coal mining companies of South Wales, of which my grandfather was one of the founders. And for the past 13 years I have been the responsible manager of a business employing from 4,000 to 5,000 men."

And as a result of all his opportunities of observation Lord Hythe declared the root cause of the industrial trouble was that the workers had now become more educated.

Other special causes were loss of personal touch between employer and employee, want of consideration for the worker by the staff of the limited liability company, the rise in the cost of living, and bad housing.

As a remedy, Lord Hythe continued, would give the worker a share in the profits created by his labor, and by capitalization of his profits he would acquire a share in the business and a voice in its management.

Profit-sharing schemes in which the profits were distributed annually he dismissed as offering no solution of the labor question. Profits so distributed



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did not enable the worker to appreciate the point of view of the capitalist, which he held to be the all-important matter if we were to obtain industrial peace.

HUMORS OF THE CENSORSHIP.

An American photographer wished to send a picture of some guns going through the town. It was stopped. "I cannot send a photograph of some guns; it is a secret that the Bulgarians have guns," he wired to his editor, much to the annoyance of the censor.

At Mustapha Pasha the custom was after the war correspondent had written a dispatch to bring it to the censor, who held his court in a room surrounded by a crowd of correspondents. The censor insisted that the correspondent should read the 'dispatch aloud to him to make sure that all heard. Private letters had to pass through the same ordeal, and one correspondent, with a turn of humor, wrote an imaginary private letter full of the most fervent love messages, which was read out to a batch of journalists, who at first did not see the joke and tried to look as if they were not listening.—London Morning Post.

NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the Victoria Harbor Railway Company have deposited in the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, the plan, profile and book reference of that portion of the main line of their railway between Stations 100-00 at Camel Point to Station 246-40 at Selkirk Water including loops between Station 100 and 112-543 and Station 100 and 112-543 and connection with Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway from Station 00-1-00 to Station 10-7-24 Rock Bay. All in the City of Victoria.

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WESTERN RATE CASE HEARING ADJOURNED

LANIGAN AND M'INNES EXAMINED BY COUNSEL

Chairman Drayton Asks for Constructive Evidence in Place of Destructive

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—The session of the western rates inquiry came to an end on Saturday afternoon. It will resume again probably within six weeks, when the government will further present its side of the case. The evidence so far, as Chairman Drayton remarked, has been mainly of a destructive nature, but at the next session testimony of a more constructive kind, which will be held to establish what would be fair rates for the western provinces, will be begun.

Saturday's session was taken up with the examination of W. B. McInnes and W. B. Lanigan, of the C. P. R. Isaac Pitblado, representing the Winnipeg Board of Trade, questioned Mr. Lanigan closely in regard to the C. P. R.'s statement that the larger population and greater diversity of traffic in the East was an excuse for lower freight rates here.

Mr. Pitblado at the first of the morning session examined Mr. McInnes in regard to the rates on agricultural implements. The carload rate in 1912, out of Brandon, was lower than the present one, \$34, as compared with \$36, said Mr. Pitblado, but Mr. McInnes replied that cars were smaller then.

Speaking of some of the rates shown in the C. P. R. "Series A" of rate reductions, Mr. Pitblado said that a lot of the rates shown were paper ones. The public was not concerned with paper rates, but rather those it really had to pay. Mr. McInnes in reply to Mr. Pitblado's query, admitted that there was such a difference in classification. It was almost impossible to make comparison between Canadian and United States rates.

Asked by Mr. Pitblado if there were not a special rate on Estevan coal in 1901-02, he replied that "there was one for the manufacturers in Winnipeg as an experiment to see if they could use the coal. A \$1.50 per ton rate was put in, but the railway commission objected and made a ruling that a special rate could not be put in for manufacturers alone, and it was dropped."

The question of water competition was taken up. Mr. McInnes admitted that the summer commodity rates to most water competition were in effect lower than class "A" between Hamilton, Montreal and Toronto.

Mr. McInnes then gave testimony in regard to the Canadian Freight Association. Water carriers and the railways had been members of it, but had resigned last spring.

"As long as a carrier is a member he is supposed to abide by his agreement," said Mr. Pitblado. "Do they keep their agreement?"

"I don't want to make any charges; mark your own inferences," said Mr. McInnes.

"There was a meeting in February to fix the differential for 1913. What was the differential fixed on?" asked Mr. Pitblado.

"Fifth class to the head of the lakes; all water two cents less than lake and rail," answered Mr. McInnes.

Mr. Pitblado: "They wanted four cents differential? Did they not threaten to withdraw unless such was made?"

"I don't know," said Mr. McInnes.

Mr. McInnes then gave evidence to the effect that the proportion of the grain crop going east from Fort William by the all-rail route was normally about 20,000,000 bushels. About a million bushels of this was carried at the low thirteen-cent rate, while the navigation season was on. This thirteen-cent rate would not come into effect except to St. John to supply grain as ballast for steamers; the average rate from Fort William to St. John being twenty-three cents.

W. B. Lanigan, general traffic manager of the western lines C. P. R., was next called to the stand and examined by H. W. Whittle, government counsel, as to his statement in the Vancouver rate case that low rates had been made in the central division because of the low cost of operation. He admitted that the cost of operation would be a feature in rate making.

Mr. Whittle went on to examine the witness as to the government exhibit showing density of the traffic in the West, but Mr. Lanigan would not admit that it indicated anything of value.

"You might as well credit a bridge with density of traffic as any one division," he said.

"Do you agree with the method of your company in preparing such statistics?"

"As a method of arriving at rates, I would say it was absolutely fallacious," Chairman Drayton: "Could you say whether a division were paying or not?"

Mr. Lanigan: "It would be very hard to say."

After some further evidence along this line, Chairman Drayton remarked: "We have gone far enough with the destructive side of this case. Let us now turn to the constructive and

establish what would be a reasonable rate."

Mr. Pitblado then turned his attention to the C. P. R.'s exhibit, showing population, diversity of traffic, etc., in the East and West.

"The proof of the pudding is in the eating," said Mr. Pitblado. "Population, diversity of traffic and other such factors were of value in so far as those were borne out by the railways' returns. What difference does a large population make if the people don't ship the stuff, but eat it up locally?" he asked.

During the afternoon session Mr. Lanigan was questioned by W. A. Macdonald with particular reference to British Columbia rates. This completed his cross-examination, and Chairman Drayton then asked why the C. P. R. could not submit a list of exceptions to Mr. Macdonald's exhibits. Mr. Beattie stated that it could be turned over to the board for criticism.

Mr. Whittle then announced that the exhibit he was preparing in answer to those of the C. P. R. would be ready in a month.

The main issue still remained, what should be a fair rate for the western provinces? The Dominion counsel has felt it their duty to show the board what the measure of reduction should be. The government's case, he thought, would be ready in six weeks.

Chairman Drayton suggested that the different tariffs should be taken by the board's tariff expert, those of the companies, Messrs. Macdonald and Carpenter, and the case was adjourned sine die.

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The Peace Question.—A meeting will be held in the Society of Friends meeting room, Courtenay street, on Wednesday, the 15th inst., at 8 p. m., to take steps towards the formation of a peace society in Victoria. A cordial invitation is extended to those interested in this question. The secretary will be glad to receive word from any sympathizers who are unable to be present. James Cass, secretary, pro tem. Box 114, city.

Drove Auto Too Fast.—H. J. Pendry, an automobile owner, was fined \$20 in police court this morning for exceeding the speed limit in his motor car.

Ivy Dancing Club.—The next dance of the Ivy Dancing Club will be held on Tuesday, January 14, in the Connaught Hall.

Meeting Postponed.—The date of the general meeting of the Auxiliary Anti-Tuberculosis Society to elect officers for the year has been changed from Wednesday, January 15th to Thursday, January 16, and is to be held at 11 a. m., in the Alexandra Club committee room.

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Newcomers Club.—This club will devote the evening of its next meeting to a progressive bridge competition at the Old Country Tea Rooms, Hibben block.

Young Men's Bible Class.—On Wednesday evening at 8.15 o'clock the Young Men's Bible Class of the Tabernacle Baptist Church will hold a social in the church schoolroom.

Foul Bay Tennis Club.—Tickets for the Foul Bay Tennis Club ball, which are limited and invitational, may be had from Messrs. C. H. Smith, Fred White and Dick Brooker.

Trustee Stenland Convalescing.—Trustee Stenland, who was removed to St. Joseph's Hospital on Friday morning suffering from a slight stroke, is reported to be progressing very favorably.

Indoor Circus.—According to H. G. Beall, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., it is the intention of the members to hold an indoor circus in the gymnasium on February 7 or 8. The entertainment will consist of acrobatic performances, side shows and clown acts.

St. Barnabas' Concert.—On Wednesday evening, January 22, a concert will be held in St. John's schoolroom, Herald street, in behalf of the St. Barnabas' building fund. The following artists will take part: Miss Lillian Palmer, Mrs. Sidney Thompson, Miss Drinkie, Dr. Eric Perkins, Messrs. J. O. Dunford, Mark St. John, D. Dumbleton, Tibebu Lougheed, and Mrs. Anthony Hebert, accompanist.

Will Elect Directors.—The annual meeting of the members of the Y. M. C. A. will be held to-morrow night, when the election of directors will take place. The following have resigned their posts on the board: Messrs. C. A. Field, H. M. Hillis and Joseph Patrick, leaving with those that retire annually, six places to be filled. The nominating committee have already nominated the following gentlemen: Messrs. M. T. Knott, R. T. Elliott, A. E. Haynes, George Bell, F. J. Drake and W. T. Christenson. It is expected that some announcement with regard to the filling of the post of general secretary will be made at one of the meetings this week.

Officers Installed.—The annual installation of officers for the ensuing year was held last week by Victoria Hive No. 1, Ladies of the Macabees, the following officers being installed in office by Past Commander E. J. Melton, prior to the social hour, which was enjoyed by the officers and members: Lady commander, Mary Cochenour; lady lieutenant-commander, Josephine Grice; lady record-keeper and treasurer, Hannah Wall; lady finance auditor, Susan McNell; lady-at-arms, Mabel Champion; lady sergeant, May F. Leeman; lady chaplain, Maude Roddy; lady sentinel, Mary Weber; lady picket, Belle Rossiter; captain of guards, Ida Wrigglesworth; first color-bearer, Anna Mercer; musician, Aletta Jackson. The second color-bearer will not be appointed until next meeting. The next social and dance will be held on Thursday, January 23, in the Foresters' Hall, Broad street.

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Civic Election.—Mayorality, John Grant, M. P. P., 543; D. W. Higgins, 401, majority, 142. Councillors, James Bay Ward: William Wilson, 197; George Powell, 175; F. S. Barnard, 166, and M. Humber, 90. Yates Street Ward: L. Vigelin, 169; S. L. Kelly, 156; J. R. Anderson, 151; J. Wrigglesworth, 127. John Street Ward: S. T. Styles, 245; John Coughlan, 221; Andrew Gray, 216, and John Robertson, 198. The first two in each ward, in addition to Messrs. Harris, Braden, and Pearce, whose term has not expired will form the city council.

The Spanish oatmeal mill is the only one in the Dominion west of Winnipeg doing an extensive business. The machinery is propelled by steam. The firm was established in 1876, and is composed of Henry Brackman and David R. Ker.

Dr. Rob. Morris, the distinguished poet laureate and writer on Masquetry, is now in this city.

The "C" Battery are organizing a band. Already 15 men have been selected for different instruments. Professor Angus has enlisted in the corps and is to assume charge of the band.

Connaught Club.—The next dance of the Connaught Club will take place on Tuesday, January 21, in Connaught Hall, View street, at 9 o'clock.

Anti-Tuberculosis Society.—The regular monthly meeting of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society will be held on Monday, January 20, at 2.30 p. m., in the King's Daughters' rest room, Courtney street.

OLD MAN STRUCK BY AUTO.

A. A. Belbeck's Car Turned Corner and Injured D. T. Woodruff.

Bruises and cuts on his right leg and left arm were sustained by D. T. Woodruff, a man of 70 years of age, about 7 o'clock Sunday evening, when he was struck by A. A. Belbeck's automobile at the corner of Government street and Humboldt street. The automobile turned the corner short from Government street into Humboldt street, and although Mr. Woodruff heard the horn and saw the car, his feebleness prevented him from escaping. Mr. Belbeck picked him up and took him to a doctor, who bound his injuries.

"Music Lovers."—A programme comprised of Victoria's premier amateur talent has been arranged in aid of St. Barnabas' new church building fund and will be presented at St. John's schoolroom, Herald street, Wednesday evening, January 22, 1913, at 8 o'clock, when the following artists will appear: Miss Lillian Palmer, Mrs. S. Thompson, Miss Drinkie, Dr. Eric Perkins, Messrs. J. O. Dunford, Mark St. John, D. Dumbleton, and Tibebu Lougheed, Mrs. Anthony Hilbert, accompanist. The chair will be occupied by Thomas C. Johnston. We understand that the majority of the seats have been sold and a capacity house is expected. The remaining seats can be purchased at Moore & Johnston, 632 Yates Street. Reserved seats, \$1.00; general admission, 50 cents.

Suburban Electorate.—Exactly 1,113 ratepayers are qualified to vote at the municipal elections at Oak Bay. This number includes the eligibles added at the court of revision which sat at Oak Bay on Monday last.

Cornish Association.—The following were installed into office last Friday evening, when the Cornish Association met at the A. O. U. W. Hall: F. Carr, president; J. Trace, first vice-president; N. Olive, second vice-president; H. Roberts, correspondence secretary; T. Rutter, financial secretary; F. W. Davey, treasurer; R. Stevens, sentinel. The financial, employment, sick and social committees were also appointed. A large number was present and thirteen new names were added to the membership roll.

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CAPT. JAS. GAUDIN ENTERS LAST PORT

VICTORIA'S PROMINENT MARINE OFFICIAL DIES

Passes Away at Family Residence After Lingered Illness—An Interesting Career

Death has removed another of the old time navigators of this Coast, and also one of the pioneers of Victoria in the person of Capt. James Gaudin, wreck commissioner for British Columbia. After an illness which has extended over a lengthy period, this prominent citizen passed away at the family residence, 1724 North Hampshire Road, Oak Bay, at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning.

Upon the receipt of the news of the passing of Capt. Gaudin, the officials of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Grand Trunk Pacific and other steamship companies had the flags on their steamers and also at the offices lowered to half-mast out of respect for the deceased. Capt. Gaudin was very popular with all the seafaring fraternity of this Coast, for in the dispatch of his duty both as agent of the marine and fisheries department, and later as wreck commissioner, he showed a marked degree of courtesy, and his decisions were always regarded as unbiased.

The funeral of the late captain, which had been arranged for to-morrow afternoon, will be postponed largely attended owing to the large number of friends which he had in Victoria. A short service will be held at the family residence at 1:30 o'clock, from where the cortege will proceed to Christ Church cathedral.

Capt. Gaudin's Career

The late Capt. Gaudin would have celebrated his seventy-fifth birthday on January 28. He was born in Jersey, Channel Islands, in 1838. When a young lad he had a desire to go to sea and early in his teens he shipped on a sailing vessel. For many years he ran Atlantic ports as apprentice, and after serving his time he showed marked ability in the knowledge of navigation, and he rose rapidly up the officer's ladder. After running to different ports of the globe, Capt. Gaudin joined the Hudson's Bay Company and paid his first visit to Victoria as chief officer of the ship Prince of Wales. It was in 1855 that the Prince of Wales hove to in the Royal Roads.

After making a number of trips around Cape Horn as chief officer, Capt. Gaudin was promoted to the rank of captain, and brought the fine ship Lady Lamson to Victoria. Many of the old-timers of this province came to this port in the early days in the ships which Capt. Gaudin commanded. He was known as a skillful navigator, and brought his ships through storms which would have caused them to founder had they been in less capable hands.

Finally in 1884, after a successful career as a deep-sea mariner, Captain Gaudin decided to settle in British Columbia, having heard of the great prospects in this westernmost province. The call of the sea, however, mastered Capt. Gaudin's desire to remain ashore and he entered the service of the Canadian government as master of the celebrated old steamer Sir James Douglas, the first steamer to engage in the work of the marine department on this Coast. Upon the arrival of the steamer Quadra from the Old Country, Capt. Gaudin was given command of her, but was her master for only about eight months, as the officials, recognizing his ability and his extensive knowledge of the Coast, made him agent for the department on this Coast.

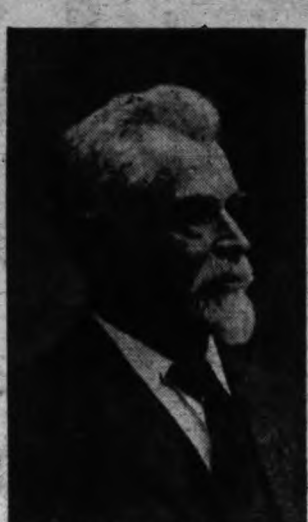
Added Many Aids. Until two years ago Capt. Gaudin discharged the duties of that office. During the 18 years he was agent the late captain studied the condition under which navigators had to pilot their vessels up and down this treacherous Coast, and now aids to navigation were constantly being established. When Capt. Gaudin first took over the duties of his office in 1892, there were very few lights between Victoria and the Alaska boundary line. One by one new lighthouses, beacons and buoys were established to mark the dangerous shoals, reefs and points of land, and when Capt. Gaudin left his office to become wreck commissioner, he had arranged a chain of lights on this Coast which is unequalled anywhere in the world.

As wreck commissioner Capt. Gaudin has presided over many inquiries into accidents which have overtaken vessels navigating in British Columbia waters. He was looked upon as an impartial judge, and his judgments were considered fair.

All seafaring and shipping men of Victoria pay the highest respects to the late captain. He was recognized as a friend of the seaman, and by his uniform courtesy and kindly disposition he endeared himself to all with whom he came in contact.

Those Who Survive Him. In 1873 the late Capt. Gaudin married Agnes, the second daughter of the late Alex. C. Anderson. She survives him. One son, James, of the Yukon, and four daughters, Mrs. Wilby and Kate, of Victoria; Mrs. Harvey, of Knappa Island, and Mrs. Bond, of Vancouver, also survive him.

Gaudin Point, which is on Flaxman's Bay, Island, Decatur Channel, was named after the deceased in 1883 by Lieut. Col. Anderson, of the marine department.



CAPT. JAS. GAUDIN Who passed away yesterday morning after a lingering illness.

RUPERT PAYS WEEKLY VISIT TO VICTORIA

G. T. P. Steamer Encountered Snow Nearing Vancouver—Had Many Passengers

Heavy snow falls were encountered for several hours before the G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. Barney Johnson, pulled into Vancouver last Saturday evening. The big northern vessel came across to Victoria yesterday morning. The weather in the vicinity of Prince Rupert was very cold but clear, and the snow had been falling for some days before the steamer arrived. No wind was encountered on the trip, and the sea was smooth in both Milbank and Queen Charlotte Sounds. In the Gulf of Georgia the Prince Rupert ran into blinding snow storms, and had to be navigated with caution.

The Prince Rupert brought south a large list of passengers, including the following: J. F. Ritchie, who is one of the promoters of the Fort Edward townsite; W. A. Williams, manager of the Granby Bay Smelter Company; V. W. Smith, paymaster for Foley, Welsh & Stewart; David H. Hay, connected with the G. T. P. land department; R. J. McDonald, of Hazelton, and Mr. and Mrs. St. Alban, of Prince Rupert.

This morning the Prince Rupert steamed north for Prince Rupert, and took out a fair list of passengers, including the following: A. Berry, H. F. Mann, E. Balling, Mrs. T. Perks, Geo. L. Clayton and Mr. and Mrs. Mesher.

Nothing Decided About Leaving. Capt. Johnson, who has just received an appointment to the Vancouver pilotage, said he was unable to say when he would relinquish the command of the Prince Rupert. Capt. Johnson has commanded the Rupert ever since she entered the coasting trade, and has piloted her up the coast without mishap. He is sorry to have to part with the beautiful ship.

KELLY FIRST OF TRAWLERS HERE.

Shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon the new trawler Andrew Kelly, Capt. Wynne, arrived in port completing a 97-day passage from Beverley, Eng. The trawler was dirty and covered with rust, as a result of the bad weather she encountered during the 15,000-mile voyage. She beat her sister ship, the Geo. E. Foster, into port by a narrow margin, the other vessel making port late in the afternoon. Both vessels will fish for the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Company of Prince Rupert.



TRAWLERS WHICH ARRIVED TO-DAY

The Andrew Kelly and Geo. E. Foster arrived in port late this afternoon from Beverley, Eng. after fair passages.

ATTEMPT TO KEDGE LINER OFF FUTILE

GIFFORD REMAINS HARD IN FOUR FEET OF WATER

Big Freighter Tried to Float Herself Yesterday—To Wait for Higher Tides

All attempts made yesterday to kedge off the big Weir freighter Gifford, Capt. McIlwaine, which ran ashore on Roberts Bank last Thursday morning, proved futile and the vessel still remains hard and fast in the mud. It looks now as though the Gifford will have to remain there until the end of the month, when the next high tide is due.

Last night the Victoria & Vancouver Stevedoring Company dispatched 30 men from Vancouver to lighten a portion of the 1,500,000 feet of lumber which the vessel has on board and to try to get her to the Terminal City to complete her cargo for Sydney. The tugs St. Elison, Owen and Prospective are standing by the stranding freighter, ready to render assistance at any moment.

At low water it is reported that there is only four feet of water around the Gifford. "With the water so shallow and the great weight of the vessel it means that she will sink in the soft mud of Roberts Bank and become firmly embedded. It may take stronger pulls to relieve her, as a result."

It is not expected that any more attempts will be made to float the Gifford until much of her reduced has been lightened. The delay to the freighter is proving costly. It is not likely that she has been damaged, as she is resting easily in the mud and her holds are free of water, but the amount of time which she will lose before being able to make port will mean the loss of much money to the owners.

It may be necessary for the Gifford to come to Esquimalt to be floated into drydock for examination.

GREATEST SHIPPING COMBINE IN WORLD

Liverpool, Jan. 13.—The Liverpool Daily Courier says an agreement has been reached for the amalgamation of the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company and the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, with a capital of \$150,000,000. Rumors were current in London at different times last year that the Royal Mail intended to acquire control of the Peninsular and Oriental, but on each occasion the report was denied.

The Royal Mail, under the direction of Sir Owen Phillips, chairman, with Lord Pirie, not long ago, bought several companies, including the Union Castle Line, Lamport and Holt, Pacific Steam Navigation Company and the Elder-Dempster Line to West Africa.

IMPERATOR, WORLD'S LARGEST LINER, LEAVES HAMBURG MAY 7

Hamburg, Jan. 12.—The Hamburg-American Company's new liner Emperor will sail on May 7 on her maiden voyage to New York. The Emperor is the largest liner in the world. She is an eleven-story floating palace, 818 feet long, with engines of 30,000 horse power. Her displacement is 30,000 tons and she can accommodate 5,000 passengers.

Among other luxuries the Emperor is fitted with three electric elevators, a winter garden, sunning houses, a theatre, a gymnasium, a Ritz restaurant, swimming bath, ball room, telephone and a cottage cafe. The swimming bath is the copy of one unearthed at Pompeii, with mosaic pavements that are reproductions of those discovered at Pompeii. The first-class dining saloon is in the Louis XVI. style. It is 300 feet long.

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800 PASSENGERS ON THE URANIUM WHEN SHE HIT

Transferred to Lifeboats and Lady Laurier—Struck Ten Miles From Halifax

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 13.—The steamer Uranium, which terminated her voyage from Rotterdam by piling upon a rocky reef ten miles below Halifax in a fog yesterday, remained fast to-day with Captain Eustace and crew aboard but with all the 800 passengers safe ashore at the immigration station here. Whether the vessel could be saved is problematical.

The steamer is stuck bow on with seventeen fathoms of water under her stern. The bow plates are ripped and No. 1 hold is filled with water. The vessel's position is only a few hundred yards from the lighthouse at Chebucto Head, where the keeper declares he was blowing his fog horn when she struck. It was on the same ledge and not far from this spot that the steamer Atlantic, of the White Star line, was lost in April, 1873, with the sacrifice of 800 lives.

The rescue of the Uranium's passengers was accomplished by lifeboats from Chebucto Head and by transfer to the government steamer Lady Laurier, which was prompt to reply to wireless signals. There was no panic. All the passengers were landed here during the night. Six hundred of them, bound for New York, probably will leave to-night by special train.

Is an Old Vessel

The Uranium is twenty-two years old, and has sailed about all of the seven seas under four different owners and under as many different names. She was christened the Avoca, later named San Fernando, and then the Atlanta. The Uranium Steamship Company, her present owners, gave her the company's name. Her only serious accident of record is a collision with the steamer Nordenfels, off Rotterdam, four years ago, when she was badly damaged and one of her crew was killed.

There is no explanation of the present stranding of the ship. She was out of her course. Captain Eustace says he did not hear the fog alarm, although where he struck is not a quarter of a mile distant from it.

New York, Jan. 12.—According to a dispatch received at the Uranium Steamship Company's office here at 8 o'clock this morning all of the holds of the stranded vessel are dry with the exception of No. 1, which has seven feet of water. It was believed the steamer could be pulled free at the noon tide unless the wind became unfavorable.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 12.—Despite all attempts at high tide at noon to tug the steamer Uranium off, she remained hard and fast on the rocks. There was a favorable northerly wind when the steamer Lady Laurier made the first effort and the Uranium aided her, working her own screws hard astern, but to no effect. It is intended to lighten her this afternoon. Should an unfavorable breeze arise, then there is a distinct danger that the ship will be lost. The weather is now favorable, however, and the indications point to a moderate sea. The captain and crew are still on board, and express the utmost confidence of saving both ship and cargo.



FOG ALARM AT CAPE MUDGE.

On or before March 1, a diaphone fog horn will be established by the Dominion government on Cape Mudge, at the entrance to Discovery Passage, Strait of Georgia. The house containing the fog horn engine will be placed close to the present lighthouse of Cape Mudge. The horn will sound a blast of two seconds with an interval of 23 seconds.

TAMBA FLASHES HER POSITION FROM SEA

Nippon Liner Will Not Be In Before Thursday—Shidzuoka Sails To-morrow

On her way to Victoria from Oriental port the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Tamba Maru, Capt. Wada, was spoken by wireless last night about 150 miles from Victoria at 8 o'clock. The Japanese steamship is not due to berth here until Thursday, and it is not likely that she will be along until the afternoon of that day. The weather outside may bother her and prevent her from making quarantine that day.

The Tamba is bringing to Victoria about 50 tons of cargo and for the Sound she has about 2,000 tons. There are a large number of steerage passengers on board and many persons are travelling in the saloon. The silk cargo on the Tamba is worth close to \$750,000.

Shidzuoka Out To-morrow. Late to-morrow afternoon the steamship Shidzuoka Maru, Capt. Iriawa, of the same line, is due to sail for Oriental ports. She will take out 8,000 tons of general merchandise, including shipments of flour, wheat, machinery, cigarettes, tobacco, condensed milk and general merchandise.

Another liner due to depart to-morrow for the Far East is the Montague, Capt. Davidson. It has not been learned yet as to whether the mails will delay her in departing or not. The C. P. R. vessels will take out a large list of passengers and a full cargo of freight.

No wireless reports have been received from the Blue Funnel liner Cyclops, which is expected in late this week from Liverpool, via the Orient.

REPORTS ARRIVAL OF KINROSS-SHIRE

A cablegram received here late on Saturday reports the arrival of the British barque Kinross-shire, with a cargo of lumber, at Holyhead, Ireland, 175 days out from Victoria. The sailer left this port on July 18 with 2,000,000 feet of lumber loaded at the Canadian-Puget Sound Mills. She called at Holyhead for orders and it is understood that she will proceed to Swansea, Wales, to discharge. The Kinross-shire made a long passage.

HOLT AGENT APPEARS IN "SHIPPING TRUST" CASE

Washington, D. C., Jan. 13.—Agreements between the Lamport and Holt, Prince and Hamburg-South American steamship companies to maintain rates and regulate sailing dates were produced on Friday before the House Merchant Marine Committee, investigating the "shipping trust," by Lorenzo Daniels, New York agent of Lamport and Holt. He denied the charges in agreement to control trade, but said the lines had "working arrangements."

All three lines are defendants in the government's pending suit against the "shipping trust." The agreements produced were dated to expire on December 31, 1913. He declared there were no such agreements in force now, and that special rebates had been abandoned in 1905 on the advice of attorneys that they were illegal. Other witnesses have told the committee that a combination of foreign lines keeps American ships out of the South American trade and diverts commerce to Europe.

TWO SHIPS LOAD AT TACOMA.

Tacoma, Wash., Jan. 12.—The British steamer Lord Derby, which has arrived at Seattle from the Orient, is due here to load 250 tons of flour for the return voyage. She is under charter to Waterhouse & Co.

The Italian steamer Rinaldo, on from Valparaiso, will come here for flour and general freight for the Orient. She is under charter to Andrew Weir & Co. for which the Waterhouse Company is agent.

With her 10,000 tons of wheat for Rotterdam, the big British steamship Algon was reported at Sea on January 8. She loaded 1,500 tons of flour for the return voyage. The Algon had better fortune when she reached Colombo, and was delayed there some days while repairs were made.

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HEAD LIGHTS
On Friday last the Blue Funnel liner Teucer was reported passing Perim, bound from Liverpool to Victoria.
After a good trip to East Coast ports, the C. P. R. steamer Chatter, Capt. Brown, arrived in port yesterday. She is sailing again to-night.
Opinion prevails among shipowners that the freight rates will improve with the new year, and while they do not anticipate a boom in 1913, they fully expect to see rates on a level that will prove more remunerative.
Iron ore and sugar says an exchange, are considered by shipowners to be the worst cargoes that a ship can carry, as the wear and tear is great.
The halibut schooner Commonwealth, of the International Fisheries Company, of Tacoma, has arrived on the Sound from the North. The Commonwealth is the first of the independent fishing vessels to return from the fishing banks, the entire fleet being stormbound at Ketchikan, Juneau and Sitka. The new halibut schooner Idaho, recently launched at the yards of Nelson & Kelso, left Saturday on her maiden voyage to the North.
The tug Collie was almost torn from her moorings at Redondo Beach, Cal., last Friday night, when she was rammed by several monster whales in pursuit of a school of porpoises. The whales were the largest seen in this vicinity.
The steamship Rupert City, which has been lying idle at Eagle Harbor, has shifted to the Schwaiger-Nettelton mill, Seattle, where she will take a cargo of lumber for Australia. The vessel is under charter to J. J. Moore & Co., and will load for Melbourne.
Claude A. Solly, agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound railroad, returned to Victoria yesterday from New York and California cities. He personally conducted a party of Victorians who left here in December for the Old Country.
DORA PROCEEDING SOUTH.
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SPORTING NEWS

LAW STUDENTS HAD CINCH WITH BAYS

J. B. A. Club Badly Beaten When They Failed to Turn Out a Full Team

One could hardly call Saturday's Rugby exhibition at Oak Bay a contest. Rather it was a sort of practice in which the Law Students galloped through the J. B. A. fifteen for 37 points, while the Bays were unable to get the ball past mid-field. The fearful weather conditions marred all hope of a brilliant game; indeed it left the Bays with but eleven players, the blue and white club being unable to gather enough men to make even a strong defence. The heavy going and driving sleet prevented fast scoring or the total might have mounted higher. The second half was cut in two, the Bays being utterly unable to make any sort of an impression against the strong student defence.

Ball Hard to Handle.
Many brilliant rallies were spoiled by

the players missing the greasy leather, the ball being very hard to handle. The Students had the ball the greater part of the time, the Bays being outclassed in all departments, while any attack that they attempted was smothered before it got well started. Earl Gillespie, of the noted Rugby family, made his first appearance in senior Rugby, showing up very well on the half line of the Students.

The Teams.
The tries were scored in order by Martin, Monteith, McCallum, Shires, S. Gillespie, Martin. The teams:
James Bay—Fullback, Steele; three-quarters, Newcombe, Ross, Stewart; halves, Denny and Irving; forwards, Ackland, Travis, Clouston, Hay-Currie and Forest.

Law Students—Fullback, Boggs; three-quarters, Martin, E. Gillespie, Ogden and Meredith; halves, Shires and Morton; forwards, A. Milligan, G. Milligan, Monteith, J. Ross, S. Gillespie, Pemberton, McCallum and Bateman.
Referee, E. P. Ward.

RUGBY LEADERS.

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Law Students	4	0	1	9
Oak Bay	3	1	0	6
Wanderers	1	1	1	3
Victoria Welsh	1	3	0	2
James Bay	0	4	0	0

QUEBEC TAKES LEAD, BEATING CANADIENS

Tecumseh's Win From the To- rontos, While Ottawa Lost to Wanderers in N. H. A.

Quebec, Jan. 12.—Quebec started the last period of the game with the Canadiens two goals behind the Frenchmen, but by playing them off their feet in the last 20 minutes won out by a score of 4-3. The win puts the present holders of the Stanley cup in the lead in the N. H. A. Moran played a great game for the winners, making many great saves in the last few minutes. Pitre and Smith starred for the losers.

Wanderers Triumph Over Ottawa.

Montreal, Jan. 12.—The Wanderers triumphed over Ottawa here Saturday night before a crowd of 5,000 spectators. The game was marked by considerable dirty work, over \$50 being collected in fines. The Wanderers were the worst offenders. Harry Hyland was the star of the home team, scoring four of the

eleven goals. Ross and Sprague Clegborn also starred, while Lake and Roman shone for Ottawa.

Tecumseh's Win From the Torontos.
Toronto, Jan. 12.—Before the largest crowd that has yet watched a professional hockey match in this city, the Tecumseh defeated the Torontos by a score of 5-2. Cameron was the only Toronto man playing up to form, and the McNamara's were aggressive for the winners. The score about represented the play.

SOCCER SCORES.

Junior Final.
West, 3; Wards, 1.

Island League Results.
Sons of England, 3; Victoria West, 2.
North Ward, 1; J. B. A. A., 1.
Thistles, 2; Garrison, 1.

League Standing.

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Sons of England	1	0	0	2
North Wards	1	0	0	2
Thistles	1	0	0	2
Victoria West	0	1	0	0
J. B. A. A.	0	1	0	0
Garrison	0	1	0	0

EASTERN HOCKEY.

Quebec, 4; Canadiens, 3.
Tecumseh, 5; Toronto, 2.
Wanderers, 11; Ottawa, 3.
League Standing.

	W.	L.	F.	A.
Quebec	4	1	21	17
Canadiens	4	2	31	27
Tecumseh	3	2	33	26
Ottawa	2	3	24	21
Wanderers	2	3	24	21
Toronto	1	5	23	41

MATCHES FOR WILLARD.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Three matches before the National Sporting Club of London, which will net \$75,000, have been offered Jess Willard, one of the few remaining members of the "hope" brigade in good standing, and the only heavyweight credited with a decision over Luther—McCarthy, recognized champion of the world.

The London officials' statement, as far as could be ascertained, named no opponents for Willard, claiming the right to match him with any fighter they saw fit. It is believed, however, that Bombardier Wells, English heavyweight champion, will be Willard's first opponent. Sam Langford and Sam McVey are other heavyweights hinted at as likely opponents, and this has caused a hitch in signing.

AMATEUR WINNERS

TO PLAY FOR TITLE

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—The suggestion made that an inter-league amateur hockey series be inaugurated between the O. H. A. and Inter-Provincial, the winners of each organization meeting in a home and home series, the winner then to go after the Allan Cup, is taking hold here.

TO VISIT SEATTLE.

Victoria Y. M. C. A. Juniors will visit Seattle and Tacoma on January 21 and February 1, these dates having been forwarded to the American Institutions for approval. About thirty members of the boys' department will make the trip, and they will meet teams of the Seattle and Tacoma associations in varied contests.

ARENA HOCKEY

VANCOUVER vs. VICTORIA

FRIDAY, JAN. 17th

8.30 P. M.

Box Seats, \$2.00. Reserved, \$1.00. Unreserved, 50c.

Seats on sale Monday, January 13, at Fife-Rite Parlors and "Arena."

LIVE BITS OF SPORT GOSSIP

Eddie O'Keefe, the little Philadelphia fighter, who was in the limelight a short time ago, is going down the line fast.

The defeat of Hughie McEgan by Freddie Welsh shows that the little Welshman is still the king of the lightweights on the other side of the ocean.

Johnny Coulon's bantamweight title is in danger, as Ledoux and Kid Williams have been showing up wonderfully and the Eastern critics think if Johnny wants to retain his title he will have a hard time in stowing these youngsters away.

Jessie Willard, the cowboy "white hope," who hails from Montana, is coming to the top of the list in pounds. Willard, outpointed Luther McCarthy in New York a few months back and the other night knocked out Sailer White in New York in one round. White was out for five minutes.

The International League produced a big squad of heavy hitters the last season, an even half hundred players hitting .300 or better.

Frank Chance declares he has no intention of playing ball again, and that if he manages the New York Yankees it will be from the bench.

Hughie Jennings is the latest to predict that the Pirates will win the National League pennant next year. He goes further and says they will also win the world's championship.

President Dreyfus and his family have gone to Aiken, S. C., for a rest. President Dreyfus will play golf and work on the 1913 schedule.

Willie Keeler is planning his own game. He is hired as a batting coach, and now he comes out in an interview to say that batters are born, not made.

Candy La Charte, famous first baseman of the famous old Red Sox, likely will coach the baseball team at the Connecticut Agricultural College next spring.

Chick Gandil led the Nationals in driving home runs, although he was not with the team the entire season. His total was eighty-five. Zeb Milan was next with seventy-seven.

Back to the minors for Art Griggs again. Joe Birmingham is so well satisfied with "Doc" Johnston, his Southern League find, that he has offered Griggs to anybody who wants him.

The veteran Billy Gilbert is not to be let out at Erie because of any dissatisfaction with the way he handled the team, but the club owners think they cannot afford the luxury of a bench manager.

Four thousand people at an amateur game in Ottawa and 2,500 to see the professionals. Looks as if amateur hockey has the call in Ottawa.

The McNamara brothers, on the Tecumseh defense, are prime favorites. They are big and fast, and use their weight in a legitimate manner.

If the weather man does not send some cold weather along the O. H. A. are going to have some difficulty with their out-of-town games.

Tecumseh seem to be just good enough to get beat by a small margin. A couple of good players would make the Indians a class team.

Must hand it to Joe Tinker as the most progressive manager the Reds ever had. As soon as Joe was officially notified of his transfer he wired to Garry Herrmann and invited all the directors of the club to a banquet at his expense in Cincinnati. Joe is no piker with his own money, and he doesn't expect to be one with Garry's when he starts to tinker up the Reds.

The good pitchers are all that stand between the Cubs and another National League pennant, according to Charles W. Murphy, president of the club. The Cub boss consequently has some deals pending that he thinks will give him the needed pitchers, but he isn't telling who the desired stars are. Some say they are Eppa Jephtha Rixey, of the Phillies, and "Lefty" Tyler, of the Boston Nationals.

Slavery in the National League is a terrible thing when some of the pitiful wrecks of the system are contemplated. There is Uncle Fred Clarke, who has pulled stroke ear in the galleries at Louisville and Pittsburgh for nearly twenty years. Clarke went to Kansas last week to make a baseball trade, but had to be satisfied with a real estate transfer. He bought a tiny parcel of 400 acres adjoining his big ranch near Winfield, Kan. Clarke should worry about becoming a public charge when he gets through with baseball.

Andy Spivey, new coach of the Montreal Reds, is playing hockey down in the Maritime Provinces. Dave Rowan, who managed Peterboro last season, is one of the official referees in the O. H. A.

Regarded by many as the greatest first-sacker of the land, and by others as one of the best, "Stuffy" McInnes, of the Athletics, is on the threshold of a wonderful career. He has been at the

FIRST ROUND ENGLISH CUP

London, Jan. 12.—Following are results of the first round of the English cup, played Saturday:

Fulham, 6; Hull, 2.
Millwall Athletic, 6; Middlesbrough, 4.
Manchester City, 4; Birmingham, 0.
Crystal Palace, 2; Glossop, 0.
Southampton, 1; Bury, 1.
Halifax, 2; Queen's Park Rangers, 4.
Rochdale, 2; Swindon Town, 0.
Sunderland, 6; Clapton Orient, 3.
Bristol Rovers, 2; Notts County, 0.
Creighton Common, 0; Woolwich Arsenal, 0.

Oldham Athletic, 2; Bolton Wanderers, 0.
Plymouth Argyle, 2; Preston North End, 0.
Manchester United, 1; Coventry City, 1.
Tottenham Hotspur, 1; Blackpool, 1.
Gillingham, 0; Barnsley, 0.
Chelsea, 2; Southend United, 1.
All other cup ties were postponed or abandoned owing to fog or snow.

Glasgow, Jan. 12.—The following Scottish League football games were played Saturday:

St. Mirren, 2; Aberdeen, 2.
Dundee, 1; Airdrieonians, 1.
Celtic, 1; Queen's Park, 0.
Kilmarnock, 2; Clyde, 2.
Falkirk, 2; Partick Thistle, 0.
Hamilton Academicals, 4; Hearts, 1.
Hibernians, 3; Morton, 1.
Rangers, 3; Motherwell, 1.
Third Lanark, 0; Raith Rovers, 0.

Following are Saturday's Rugby results:
London Scottish, 14; Harlequins, 12.
Bedford, 6; London Welsh, 5.
Blackheath, 20; Richmond, 0.
Leicester, 6; Coventry, 3.
Old Leysians, 11; Rosslyn Park, 0.
Cumberland, 20; Durham, 3.

BISHOP TO REFEREE.

Tacoma Sporting Authority Will Handle Calgary Bout.

Calgary, Jan. 12.—Biddy Bishop, of Tacoma, is Tommy Burns' choice as referee for the "world's heavyweight championship" battle between Bombardier Wells and the ex-champion. Burns made this statement in discussing the matter.

The bout is to be held in Calgary on April 7, the date of the conflict being set forward three weeks owing to the religious scruples of Burns, who will not box on Good Friday, owing to the fact that it is a holiday.
Burns thinks a great deal of Bishop, who managed fighters for many years, and his knowledge of ring affairs and will submit his name to Wells when the time comes for the men to agree upon the man who is to act as referee.
Young Peter Jackson gained his greatest efficiency and popularity under the management of Bishop.

EMPRESS WINNERS.

The Empress and Y. M. C. A. teams played a friendly game on Saturday at North Ward Park. The Y. M. C. A. turned out two men short. The Empress had the best of the first half and led at the interval by 2 to 1, scored by Stalder and Fairclough. The Empress scored again soon after half time, making the score 3-1. The Y. M. C. A. scored their second goal from a penalty, and soon afterwards equalized. The Empress scored again just before time through Fairclough, and ran out winners by 4-3 after a very close and exciting game.

WHERE THEY TRAIN.

Northwestern League club owners are preparing for the training season, which is only a couple of months off. The majority have already decided on training grounds. Tacoma will train at home. Seattle will do likewise, and Victoria is now inclined to adopt the same programme. Vancouver may go to Kamloops or Vernon if the local park is not ready. Joe Cohn will take his Spokane Indians to Walla Walla, while the Portland Pippins will gather in California.

OLDFIELD'S RECORD.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 12.—Barney Oldfield took the measure of Teddy Tetter in a match race at the Motor-drome on Saturday, and incidentally established a new mile record in competition. The race was the first of two one-mile heats. Oldfield negotiated the mile in 36 1-5 seconds. The former record was 36 seconds. Another record was smashed by Felix Magone, who drove five miles in 3 minutes 35 3-5 seconds, or twelve seconds faster than was ever driven in competition.

TOURNEY CALLED OFF.

Los Angeles, Jan. 12.—Vancouver has forfeited its rights to the annual tournament of the Western Bowling Congress. This announcement came as a great surprise, but President Morley verified it. The situation is now such that the yearly affair may be given up until another turn of the wheel.

Arcade Bowling Alleys

All teams interested in city bowling league, are requested to call and receive a copy of schedule.

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NARVESON SIGNS.

President Wattleit this morning received the signed contract of Pitcher Narveson, who was with the Bees for the early part of the 1912 season. He also announces that he expects to round up two good twirlers before the end of the week. Thirty players will report here for the opening practice on March 20.

ENGLISH CUP TIES.

London, Jan. 12.—In the English cup matches which had to be abandoned Saturday, the scores when the games were called were as follows:

Derby County, 1; Aston Villa, 1.
Everton, 1; Stockport County, 1.
Huddersfield Town, 1; Sheffield United, 2.

Leeds City, 2; Burnley, 1.
Newcastle United, 1; Bradford City, 0.
South Shields, 1; Gainsborough Trinity, 2.

Stoke, 2; Reading, 1.
Leicester Fosse, 0; Norwich City, 0.

Only the game between West Bromwich Albion and Westham United will be replayed to-day, which is as well considering that to-day at 11 a. m. it was literally dark as midnight. The draw for the second round takes place late to-day. Two games were definitely decided Saturday, leaving twenty-two yet to decide. In the replayed cup tie to-day West Bromwich Albion and Westham United made a draw of it with one goal apiece.

REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Law Students Still Look the Best.

By their easy win over the James Bay fifteen at Oak Bay grounds on Saturday afternoon, the Law Students added two points to their lead in the Harvard Cup race, now being a game and a half in front of their nearest rivals, the Oak Bay squad. The Students have yet to be defeated, while the Oaks have lost one game, so that the Students have a big advantage in the final dash for the championship. Wanderers and the Victoria Welsh club may be able to put over a couple of surprises that will change the situation a bit, but the dope now favors the Students and Oaks to run one, two. The team to meet Vancouver in the coming McKechnie Cup struggle on January 25 will be selected to-night by the Rugby Union officials. Victoria must win this match, or the Terminal City fifteen hold the trophy for another year.

Victoria Will Take Lead in Coast Race.

Allowing the possibility of a win for Vancouver next Friday night when the Millionaires meet the Senators at the Willows ice palace, the chances are that it will be Lester Patrick's seven that will be showing the way in the P. C. H. A. race before the end of the week. Victoria has shown more improvement in recent games than has Vancouver and the Senators are out after the coast championship. Every man in the local hockey squad has the championship bean and it will take better hockey than Vancouver's hired help can show to beat the red, white and blue septette out of the title. The addition of Bob Genge to the local squad gives Lester Patrick another spare who plays either defence or forward. The local manager is fortifying himself against possible injuries and in this is taking a wise step. Pinch Ulrich is travelling at a terrific clip just now, and he may land a place on the regular line against Vancouver.

Surprises in Island League Soccer.

After the manner in which the Wests walked through the City League, their defeat at the hands of the Sons of England eleven at the Royal Athletic park on Saturday was the biggest turnover of the Island League opening. The Sons, however, have gathered together a grand team, and while they miss Sam Greenhalgh, they have strengthened their back division and look to be one of the strongest teams in the Island organization. Jack Fletcher has picked up a couple of new men who have bolstered up his defence and his eleven will take a lot of beating this season. The Wards made an auspicious debut by defeating the Bays 3 to 1 at Oak Bay, and the intermediate title-holders will be heard from before the season is out. The Wests have the class, if Manager Youson can get his team started early enough. Altogether, with three strong teams showing up and the Thistles beating the Garrisons three to one, it looks as if the Island League was going to produce a lot of good soccer, in which there will be a real race for the championship.

Bayley Will Win Via the K. O. Route.

When Tom Moore steps into the ring to-night at Nanaimo, he will know that he is going against the hardest-hitting lightweight that Canada has ever produced. Also he will be opposed to a rugged little boy, one who can absorb an abnormal amount of punishment and whose chief delight is "putting 'em away." Bayley will win by a knock-out to-night, and if it does not come in the first ten rounds, there will be a lot of Victoria money left in Nanaimo. This fellow Moore stayed fifteen rounds with Sammy Goode, but it is a cinch that he will not stay ten with Bayley, if his fight with Goode is to be taken as a criterion of his pugilistic abilities. The champion-right now is in the pink and a knock-out over Moore would help him a whole lot when he faces Kid Seiler at Edmonton. A big crowd will go along to witness the bout. Victoria should win in the preliminary, Cyclone Scott being another good bet.

World's Champions New in the Lead.

Quebec has certainly proved her right to the championship of six-man hockey. The Ancient Capital sextette went out and surprised everybody by winning the championship last season and this year they are beating all comers in the curtailed brand of hockey. Quebec's victory over Canadians on Saturday was a big surprise, though Wanderers were looked to win over Ottawa. The Tecumseh team is a great deal better than last year, the Toronto, Ottawa, Wanderers and Toronto are the second division teams just at present, but the teams will hit the seven-man stuff in a couple of weeks; when a big change may be looked for. Wanderers should go to the front, while the Tecumsehs will be hardly as effective. Toronto may show up better, but they are too inexperienced a team and need a veteran to steady them. The N. H. A. teams compared with the present clubs in the coast circuit, look like sailing plates, and the sooner that the P. C. H. A. sends its champions after the Stanley Cup, the sooner will the coast be in possession of a brace of world's trophies. The Minto Cup having already been captured by the Royals.

SPORTING NEWS

(CONTINUED)

WESTS BEATEN IN CLOSE GAME

BY THE ODD GOAL IN FIVE

Extremely Fast Game Despite Conditions Resulted in Win for Sons of England—Wests' Forwards Show Speed and Combination—Two Great Defences

"A surprisingly clever and fast game of football, considering the conditions," is the verdict that a jury of spectators would possibly have given at the end of Saturday's game between the Sons of England and Victoria West, which ended in a well-earned victory for the former by three goals to two. And what is more, there were just about enough spectators present to compose a jury.

The field was in a shocking condition, especially at the Cook street end, where the players could scarcely keep their feet. In spite of this fact both sets of forwards displayed clever control of the ball and the Wests in particular, as pretty bouts of combination as have been seen on Victoria grounds this season.

The first half was almost entirely in favor of the Sons who made intermittent and dangerous raids on their opponents' territory, the two wing men being particularly effective with speedy runs down the field, both muddling the ball with precision. It was from one of these runs by Kerley that the Sons scored their first goal.

Previous to this opening tally McDonald, of the Wests, had misled the chance of a lifetime when he completely missed the desired haven with only the goalkeeper to beat. A machine-like bout of passing among the Wests took the ball to the other end where Baker sent past. At half time the score stood at 2-0 in favor of the Sons.

BAKER WILL PLAY FOR THE LEADERS

Amateur Title at Stake in Tomorrow Night's League Fixture—Skating Also

Victorias and Y. M. C. A. meet at the Arena to-morrow night in the City League fixture that will decide the championship. The league leaders, Victorias, will be strengthened by the appearance of Baker, of Winnipeg, on the defence, while Walter Small an-

Wests' Better Team Play.

As a combination the Wests' forwards were undeniably more effective than their opponents. They played the short passing game and their lightning movements at time bewildered the defenders. Sherratt, on the left wing was easily the best of the quartette, Baker being too well looked after by Vincent to be very effective. The latter was easily the best half back on the field. With their in attack or defence he was equally sound, and save for a had mis-luck near the end of the game, gave an almost flawless display. The Wests' two backs were very strong, though Prevost did not find the measure of the speedy Kerley until late in the game. Petticrew, at centre half for the Wests, played well and was more than a match for Thomas. Both goalkeepers played well and did all that was expected of them, though Robertson ought to have stopped the second goal. The Wests played one man short, being without an inside right, but it is very doubtful if this defection made any difference to the ultimate result. Douglas was the best forward on the field.

The teams were:

Sons of England: Goal, Kerley; backs, Hymers and Jones; halves, Vincent, Kelsall and Beech; forwards, G. Kenney, Lineham, Thomas, Marshall and Douglas.

Victoria West: Goal, Robertson; backs, Whyte and Prevost; halves, Okell, Petticrew and McDonald; forwards, Sherratt, Youson, McDonald and Baker. Referee, W. Wilson.

nounced that he will play his regular team. The last meeting between these clubs resulted in a win for the city seven by a single goal, the final score being two to one. Frank Gallier will again guard the Y. M. C. A. nets, and a couple of the professionals will referee.

The match is billed to start at 8 p.m., and the usual two hours skating will be allowed after the game. Should they win, the Victoria City septette will challenge the winners of the Vancouver amateur series for the Coast hockey title. A trip East after the Allan cup is in prospect to the winners of the Coast amateur hockey championship.

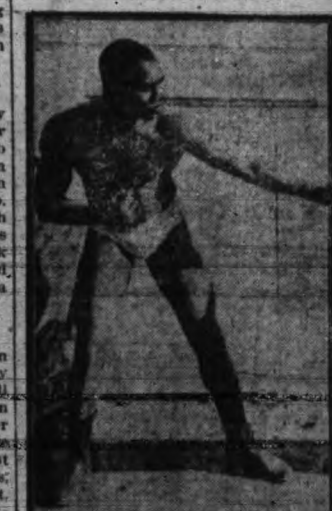
VICTORIA WESTS GET JUNIOR TITLE

North Wards Lose Exciting Final for "Kid" Championship—Score 3 to 1

Victoria West can now claim two soccer championships. The senior eleven established their supremacy in the first division weeks ago, while on Saturday the West End juniors defeated the North Wards in a keenly contested final, the winning goal being made in the second half. At half-time the score was a tie, each club having tallied once. The West Enders finished much stronger than the Wards, winning three goals to one. The Wards' defence played an excellent game, as did that of the winning eleven. The miserable weather conditions marred the play, but the youngsters kept the spectators on edge by their determined efforts. James and McKenzie starred for the winners, Humber being the pick of the Wards. The teams were:

TO SWIM NIAGARA.

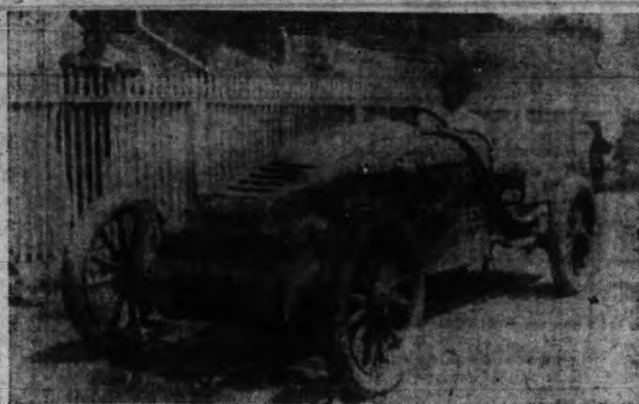
London, Jan. 12.—Jabez Wolfe, who has many times attempted to swim the English Channel, says that he will attempt to swim the Niagara next September.



SAM LANGFORD

Nova Scotia black counted the greatest fighter in the world to-day, Terrier says he would try to defeat.

ONCE MORE SPEED KING



BARNEY OLDFIELD

Famous auto driver, who defeated Terrible Teddy Tetzlaff on Saturday, establishing a new world's record for the mile in doing so.

CITY BOWLING LEAGUE ELECTS

OFFICERS FOR COMING SEASON

Revival of Ten-Pin Bowling in the Capital—Six Teams Included in Double Schedule—Games to Be Rolled on Arcade Alleys—Start To-morrow Night

Ten-pin bowling was given a boost on Saturday night, when the City Bowling League was formed, six teams being represented at the gathering. The enthusiasm of those present augurs well for the success of the league, and it is hoped that further steps will be made in the near future to bring ten-pin bowling back to its former place among the leading winter sports of the capital. A double schedule has been drawn up, the opening of which will take place to-morrow night at the Arcade alleys, when the Victoria Hockey Club sextette meet the Mitchell-Innis team. Three games will be played this week, the schedule to close the first week in March. Double-headers will be played on certain nights, so as to enable all games to be played within the limit.

According to the Canadian Bowling As-

sociation rules, which have been adopted by the league, each match will consist of three games, total pins on each string to count a game. This will help the weaker clubs and make the race more interesting. Manager Parliament has allotted alleys four and five for the use of the league on the schedule nights.

Election of Officers.

Delegates were present from the Mitchell-Innis office, the H. C. Telephone and Victoria Hockey Club, Syndicated Properties, Ltd., the Hinton Electric Co., and the Canadian Pigeon Sound Lumber Co. The following officers were elected: President, A. Crick; first vice-president, W. E. Maxwell; second vice-president, A. D. Cross; third vice-president, W. E. Staples; fourth vice-president, H. W. Hughes; secretary, R. H. Parliament.

BAYLEY AT NANAIMO

Joe Bayley reached Nanaimo yesterday and the champion is confident that he will win over Tom Moore at Nanaimo to-night. Cyclone Scott is also confident that he can defeat Joe Little.

Jimmie Hewitt, of Vancouver, will referee both bouts, and the biggest crowd that ever witnessed a boxing bout in the Coast City is expected. Bayley will leave next Tuesday for Edmonton in charge of Colly Hill. He will be accompanied by Cyclone Scott, and fight with Sealer, being billed for January 23.

Civilization shortens the life of a horse. In a wild state he lives to 20 or 25 years old, while the domestic horse is old at 15 years.

COAST LEAGUE TO MEET SOON

SEATS ON SALE FOR BIG GAME

Postponed Games at New Westminster Means Extra Games From Now on—Record Demand for Pasteboards Marked Opening of Seat Plan

Because of the enforced postponement of the New Westminster professional hockey opening, it is likely that a meeting of the Coast Hockey League will be called for this week at Vancouver, when the clubs will get together and arrange for the playing of the postponed games at the Royal City. Counting the game which was to have been played to-morrow night, there are three games that will have to be fixed up, and as the league is desirous of winding up its games in order to finish the first week in March, arrangements will have to be made to play these games before the end of the regular schedule.

Big Seat Sale Recorded.

Seats for Friday night's big game at the Willows Ice Palace, when the Vancouver Millionaires meet the Senators, went on sale this morning, the largest sale yet recorded being the result of the first day's demand. The two over-

the season. This game will decide whether or not Victoria is to remain a factor in the championship race, and a win for the locals will place them at the top. Bob Genge, the latest hockey recruit, was out on Saturday and showed lots of speed, though he will need considerable schooling. Manager Patrick intends to keep Genge and will develop the Port Arthur boy for a position on the line, should accidents break up his present combination.

McDonald Broke Two Ribs.

Ran McDonald had two ribs, not one, broken in the game on Thursday and he will be out of the game for two weeks at least. His loss is a hard blow to Jimmy Gardner, who figures he would have won at Victoria if McDonald had not been hurt in the first period, but the Westminister manager is not discouraged and is disposed to look on the bright side of things. He is positive that Westminister will top Victoria in the league standing, if his team does nothing else, though Jeems will not have very much support in this opinion.

TO AGAIN RAID THE EAST

That the Pacific Coast lacrosse clubs will again raid the East for players in the event of the commission plan falling through is suggested in the Toronto press. In commenting on Con Jones' arrival in the Queen City and the prospects for the ensuing season, the News says:

"Mr. Jones will try and meet the other league half way, and the commission will likely be formed to include Westminister and Vancouver in the West, and Toronto, Tecumseh, Nationals and Irish-Canadians in the East.

Wants Fitzgerald.

"In case the commission idea fails, Mr. Jones states that he will try and strengthen his club by some of the best talent in the East, but admits that it will only mean a loss again for all the clubs, both East and West. Mr. Jones realizes that 'Billy' Fitzgerald, the Toronto star, was the mainstay of his club last year, and will make a big effort to capture him for next season.

"Con. would also like to see 'Jimmy' Murphy go to Victoria and start a team to make a three-cornered series like

they have in the hockey league. He has also made a proposition to Charlie Querrie to go West and take with him Kinsman, Green and Guy Smith if the commission idea fails. They will join the Vancouver club. There is little chance, however, of the Tecumseh manager making the jump."

(Additional Sport on page 15.)

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At the request of many voters, I offer myself as a candidate at the forthcoming election. Having served for many years in the Imperial Civil Service, I have a good knowledge of administrative work, and have gained considerable experience in Elementary and Secondary Education in England. If elected, I shall be prepared to devote ample time to the duties of Trustee, and to forwarding generally the interests of education in its several branches, in accordance with the school law and regulations of British Columbia, with which I am acquainted.

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REV. SAMUEL SCHOR EXPLAINS HIS WORK

Founded First Palestine Exhibition Twenty-One Years Ago

Rev. Samuel Schor, who arrived in the city yesterday morning in connection with the arrangements for the Palestine Exhibition which he is proposing to hold at the Exhibition building, Agricultural grounds, from February 3 to 15, and who was seen to-day by a Times representative, is a Jew, born in Jerusalem, and he is very proud of his ancestry. He attended an English school in the Jewish capital when a boy. So completely has he eliminated all trace of foreign accent from his speech that no one would have the slightest hesitation in calling him an Englishman. However, despite this, the fact is that he is a native of Jerusalem, and the son of wandering Jews of Hungary and Austria, and was reared in Christianity.

It was while in England that he was often asked for explanations of passages of Scripture. These, while comprehensible to him, seemed to puzzle his questioners. Recognizing that a visit to the Holy Land was absolutely impossible to the great majority of theologians, clergymen and other teachers of Scripture, he bethought him of the idea of bringing the East to the West, and out of this grew the first conception of the Palestine Exhibition. Although in its first inception nearly twenty-one years ago, the first exhibition having been given in a small parish hall at Felixstowe in 1891, the first really large enterprise was undertaken seven years ago at the Agricultural Hall, London, where within three weeks more than 400,000 visitors made a round of the exhibits and listened to the lectures given. Ever since that time, when the need and actual want of such an exhibition was effectively demonstrated, Rev. Samuel Schor and

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his two daughters have spent almost their entire time in touring the country with this interesting Palestine story. The touring company is formed of nine permanent staff members.

HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.

Inner Harbor Association Holds Sixth Annual Meeting Wednesday.

What is likely to be the effect of the proposed railway developments on the reserve on the project to open a north-west passage from the harbor by the provision of a movable span in the Point Ellice bridge, will be discussed at the sixth annual meeting of the Inner Harbor Association, which will be held on Wednesday morning in the city hall at 10.30 o'clock. The reports will be presented and officers for the coming year will be elected.

The proposed bridge at Laurel Point and its bearing on local shipping will be considered, as will the proposals for the new Johnson street bridge.

NANAIMO HARBOR.

Member Says It Is to Be Improved—Gulf Island Mail Contract.

That Nanaimo harbor is to be greatly improved was one of the last messages of P. H. Shepherd, M. P., who left for Ottawa at the end of last week. "Some time ago," he said, "an order was issued for a Lobnitz rock crusher to be built in Scotland, and later on a large amount of dredging will be done. The harbor improvements will be carried out along the lines of the report made by M. Gavreau of the public works department two years ago. The work is to be completed before the opening of the Panama canal, which is expected to bring a largely increased shipping to Nanaimo.

One of the first matters that Mr. Shepherd avowed it was his intention to attend to as soon as he arrived in Ottawa, is the renewal of the Gulf Island mail contract. The Nanaimo board of trade has been discussing the matter very thoroughly and it is the general desire that it should be attended to at once.

SUNDAY AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Large Attendances at Discussion and Evening Round-up—Lecture by Rev. Samuel Schor.

A very enthusiastic meeting of Y. M. C. A. members greeted Rev. Samuel Schor yesterday. The reverend gentleman, who has travelled here from Jerusalem, is in the city in the interests of the great Palestine Exhibition to be held in Victoria next month; he is travelling throughout the whole Dominion. He spoke yesterday on the life, customs and habits of the people of the Orient and showed how conditions there were exactly opposite to those of this western continent. He pointed out how a knowledge of eastern customs explains things in the Bible which to the ordinary reader are not understandable. The excavation of cities showed that many of the towns of today were merely built on the ruins of the old. Sydney Hendra sang several solos from the "Elijah" oratorio and the afternoon passed off with much enjoyment to all.

Over eighty men attended the religious round-up in the evening when J. E. Andrews spoke for some time on the subject of "Prayer."

LABOR CANDIDATES SPEAK.

Aspirants for Civic Honors Declare Policies at Empress Theatre.

Labor Candidates—An audience of workers of the city accorded a reception to the labor candidates for municipal office at a packed meeting in the Empress Theatre on Sunday evening, when Messrs. Christian Sivertz, J. D. McDonald, George Oliver and A. R. Sherck outlined and defended in detail the platform of reform they were pledged to use their utmost endeavors to carry out if elected. Optimism was expressed by all the speakers that the labor men would be elected, it being felt that the time was never more so suited to such an event.

Mrs. A. E. Clayton and J. L. Martin, candidates for school trustee, spoke in behalf of their plan of educational renovation in the city.

LOCAL NEWS

Building Permit—Mrs. Ada Lacy, of 1295 Chapman street, has taken out a permit for a six-roomed dwelling house costing \$2,100.

Daughters of Empire—The Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the Alexandra Club.

Inspector of Indians Leaves—W. E. Ditchburn, inspector of Indians, leaves the city this afternoon for Cowichan, Nanaimo, Alberni and other west coast points.

Fire Call—Yesterday morning at 8.33 o'clock there was a call to a small outbreak at the rear of 749 Pandora avenue, which was quickly extinguished without much damage being done.

Order of Owls Will Install Officers—The regular meeting of the Order of Owls will be held at the A. O. F. hall, Broad street, to-night at 8 o'clock. The installation of officers will take place at this meeting.

Old Boys' Club—An effort is being made in the city to establish a public school old boys' club in the city, and the organization will be started as soon as sufficient members are guaranteed. No definite steps have been made as yet to draw up a constitution, but all old members of British public schools now resident in the city are requested to communicate with A. C. B. Gray, P. O. Box 699, Victoria.

B. C. E. R. Stock Over-Subscribed—The confidence that the British public has in the British Columbia Electric Railway Company and its directors is shown in the fact that one of the first public issues of any sort to be largely subscribed to for some time is an issue of £750,000 4½ per cent. debenture stock of the company. The stock at 95 has been over-subscribed.

Lecture on Palestine—A lecture on "Palestine and the Crisis in Turkey," will be given at the Alexandra Club this evening by Rev. Samuel Schor, a native of Jerusalem, and organizer of the Palestine exhibition, who is very familiar with the relations of the Turk and the Jew. Mr. Schor preached yesterday morning at Christ Church cathedral on the subject, "How Palestine Explains the Bible," and in the evening at St. John's church.

Will Penetrate Strathcona Park—An attempt is to be made shortly by Percy Bannerman, of the Cadillac Motor Company of this city, to penetrate Strathcona Park in an automobile. Up to the present time this feat has never been accomplished, and Mr. Bannerman hopes to be the first to run the wheels of Cadillac into the confines of British Columbia's greatest scenic park. He will probably be accompanied by Mr. Moody of the same company and a representative of the press.

Trafalgar Ball—Everything is in readiness for the Trafalgar ball to be given to-morrow evening at the Alexandra Club by the Navy League chapter of the Daughters of Empire, and the sale of tickets points to an exceptionally good attendance. As a great number of non-dancers are expected to attend as chaperons and escorts, card-rooms have been arranged downstairs and on the balcony overlooking the ballroom, where players may amuse themselves. A smoking room has been arranged for gentlemen, and every provision has been made for the comfort of the dancers themselves. The following will act as stewards: Dr. Hasell, Captain How, Dr. Home, Dr. Tomlin and Jodice Langman, while the following ladies are on the reception committee: Mrs. George C. Meagher, Mrs. Cecil Cookson, Mrs. Home, Mrs. A. W. Jones, Mrs. Day, Mrs. Hasell, Mrs. McKiekin, Mrs. Curtis Simpson and Dr. Etta Denovan.

The many friends of W. W. Foster, deputy minister of public works, who has been invalided for some days, will be glad to hear that he has sufficiently recovered from his indisposition to return to his office in the government buildings.

The Misses K. O'Neill and M. Dineen, graduate nurses of the Port Simpson General hospital, are en route south from Port Simpson and will take up private practices in Victoria. Both nurses were trained by Dr. W. T. Kerrigan, G. E. Richards and R. Nargo, well known northern physicians.

TELLS OF J. B. FITZPATRICK.

Dr. Bapty Makes Statement Regarding the Late Contractor.

Dr. Walter Bapty has made the following statement regarding the death of the late James B. Fitzpatrick, in the Prince George Hotel last Thursday: "Regarding the death of James B. Fitzpatrick, considering certain facts which have come to light since the inquest, I feel confident that he was not in his sane and proper mind when he took his own life. Previous to the last three months this man's habits were very temperate. Latterly, however, he had been drinking heavily and this, to me unaccounted to the injurious effects of alcohol, would in itself be insufficient to mar one's mind. This has been quite evident in certain of his actions at his own home recently. Besides this, his body still reveals the presence of a large bruise on the right side of his head, which was the result of a blow which must have been inflicted upon him on the night of Friday, January 2. Regarding this blow I apparently have no memory as when he received it, so probably he had been knocked silly from it at the time."

The funeral of the late Mr. Fitzpatrick will take place to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock, from his sister's residence at the corner of Bay street and Blanchard street.



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DEATH TO TAX-PAYERS.

Trouble for Authorities in West Borneo Through Murder of Tax Collectors.

The resident of West Borneo has cabled to Java information received from the assistant resident of Sambas stating that two Chinese tax-collectors whilst going their rounds had been murdered by compatriots, towards the south of Mount Koping. Anonymous Chinese placards have appeared in Manpawa threatening death to tax-payers. In many places there is fear amongst the Chinese; a great many of them have refused to pay the tax. The principal military commander was murdered in a public place in broad daylight by a Chinese, who was arrested and immediately punished. To be prepared for any eventualities the resident asked for immediate military assistance. The 330 soldiers at Pontianak are required there for the protection of Pontianak and the surroundings. A company consisting of 100 troops with 100 prisoners and a hospital staff of 20 was to be dispatched from Batavia to Pontianak by the Maetsuijker.

PARTHIAN SHOT.

A good story about Dr. Lyman Abbott was told at Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont's suffrage lunch room in New York.

Dr. Abbott, so the story runs, dined with a prominent suffragist at her great house in Fifth avenue, and during dinner stormed at the suffrage cause with all his well-known vigor. The poor suffragists over their As-trakhan caviare and winter strawberries were quite squelched by Dr. Abbott's eloquence; but on his departure his hostess planted a Parthian shot between the shoulders of the disappointed gentlemen.

As Dr. Abbott passed out of the courtyard of the mansion on taking leave, a huge wolfhound began to bark and bay furiously, whereupon the hostess opened a window and called demurely:

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B. Empey, of Vancouver, is at the

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S. White, of Nanaimo, is staying at

the Dominion hotel.

W. H. Steel, of Tacoma, is staying at

the Dominion hotel.

Cery S. Ryder, of Vancouver, is at

the Dominion hotel.

H. S. Petrie, of Vernon, is staying at

the Dominion hotel.

F. G. Hanford, of Stuart, is staying

at the Dominion hotel.

L. R. Fifer, of Seattle, is registered

at the Empress hotel.

J. Dean, of Nanaimo, is registered

at the Dominion hotel.

M. Winton is registered at the Em-

press hotel from Portland.

J. R. Duncan, of Chicago, is among

the guests at the Empress.

William Grieves, of Cumberland, is a

guest at the Dominion hotel.

Harry D. Evans, of San Francisco,

is registered at the Empress.

Mrs. MacDonnell, of Vancouver, is

staying at the Empress hotel.

R. Lindsay, of San Francisco, is

registered at the Empress hotel.

A. H. Kachel, of Chicago, registered

at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

N. S. Taylor, of Vancouver, is among

the guests at the Empress hotel.

J. E. Bronson has arrived at the

Empress hotel from New Denver.

H. Dartt and Mrs. Dartt, of Golden,

are registered at the Dominion hotel.

Miss Beatrice A. Levy, of Vancouver,

is among the guests at the Empress.

W. J. Cole is in the city from Port-

land, and is registered at the Empress.

A. M. Evalento is in the city from

New York, and is at the Empress hotel.

A. J. Taylor and Mrs. Taylor, of Cal-

ifornia, are guests at the Dominion hotel.

K. McLeod is in the city from Seat-

tle, and is staying at the Empress

hotel.

Trevor Kincaid, who has arrived

from Seattle, is registered at the Em-

press.

Rev. Samuel Schor, of Jerusalem,

registered at the Dominion hotel yester-

day.

G. Murray, of Extension, is at the

Dominion hotel during his brief stay in

the city.

R. W. Hagen and Mrs. Hagen are

at the Empress hotel from New West-

minster.

R. Wright and Mrs. Wright, of Lon-

don, Eng., are staying at the Domin-

ion hotel.

R. Evered and Mrs. Evered, of Lon-

don, England, are staying at the Em-

press hotel.

D. W. Trickey is in the city from

Duncan, and is staying at the Em-

press hotel.

R. B. Holstead is in the city from

Winnipeg, and is staying at the Em-

press hotel.

R. Hansford is in the city from New

Westminster, and is staying at the

Empress hotel.

H. M. and Mrs. Davy, who are in the

city from Ottawa, are staying at the

Empress hotel.

J. C. Poole has arrived in the city

from San Francisco, and is registered

at the Empress.

J. Salodoma and Mrs. Salodoma, of

Nanaimo, and family are guests at the

Dominion hotel.

Mrs. E. G. Macgregor has arrived in

the city from Merritt, and is registered

at the Empress.

F. M. Lough and Mrs. Lough are in

the city from Winnipeg, and are regis-

tered at the Empress.

A. P. Cotton, and Mrs. Cotton, of

New Westminster, are among the

guests at the Empress hotel.

Miss Dorran, of Sliogo, Ireland, ar-

rived in Victoria Sunday and is a

guest at the Dominion hotel.

Sir Charles and Lady Tupper arrived

in the city yesterday for a short visit.

They are staying at the Empress hotel.

There will be a meeting of the La-

diest Guild of the Seamen's Institute

at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday

morning at 11 o'clock.

STICK

By GEORGE MATHEW ADAMS.

Stick.

Just stick.

That's the essence—the beginning and

ending—of success.

Stick.

The Sticker is the "get-there" man.

Stick.

Everybody begins—but not all stick.

Yesterday you failed, maybe, but to-day

you can win—if you stick it out. All

achievers wear a badge labeled "stick."

You, stick—to-day.

When you feel like quitting—Stick!

If the other fellow is getting the best

of you—stick. He will if you don't.

Stick.

The great successes of business and

life are but repetitions of the same

story—the story of men who knew how

to stick.

Stick.

You may not like your job, but think

before you change it. So few know

how to stick. So few learn when to

stick. So few care where they stick.

You think it out, with patience. Then

whether it be a job or a task—stick it

out.

Stick.

To-day—Start things and stick to

each task until finished—completed

in the best way you know how.

Just stick.

To the Electors of the City of Victoria

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I beg to offer myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of School Trustee, and take this opportunity of soliciting your votes and influence.

Respectfully yours,
MARGARET JENKINS.
Victoria, B. C., Jan. 11, 1913.

FOR ALDERMAN

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

In offering myself as a candidate for Alderman, I take this opportunity of expressing my confidence in the future of our city and the belief that our civic administration, to be an important factor in our development, should be conducted on sound business principles. I strongly favor an adequate water supply, a modern sewerage system, first-class schools and other necessary civic improvements. Efficiency with reasonable economy will be my policy.

W. K. HOUSTON.

To the Electors of Victoria

Ladies and Gentlemen—

At the earnest solicitation of a large number of the electors, I have consented to become a candidate for alderman for the coming year.

My chief reason for coming to this decision is that I think it is absolutely necessary in the interest of the city that a fair proportion of the members of the old council—and especially those conversant with the finances of the city—should be members of the new council, if the electors are satisfied with their record; and, as nearly half the members of last year's council have retired, the situation created is a very serious one.

During the past year, I have identified myself with the larger things which have come before the council, the things that count in any city, such as the reorganization of the engineering and waterworks departments; the continuation of the paving and sewerage systems; the building of a new and adequate hospital for the city; the bridging of Seymour Narrows, which will make every man in Victoria better off than he is now, and which also means more work for the workers of the city.

I brought up in the council the question of the employment of aliens on civic work and strongly advocated the employment of our own citizens and British subjects on all public works.

I am strongly in favor of connecting Victoria West and James Bay by rail by a bascule bridge, if feasible.

I have dealt with all subjects on the broad and independent basis of what is best for the city as a whole, my sole endeavor being to bring prosperity to every one of you.

I shall appreciate having the help and co-operation of my friends, and trust that my general attitude on all important public questions will give me the confidence and support of every independent voter.

HERBERT CUTHBERT.

A. B. McNEILL

FOR

ALDERMAN

Watch
This Space
for
Platform

To the Electors of the City of Victoria:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

After giving due consideration to the request of a number of the electors, I have consented to stand for alderman in the City Council for the year 1913.

When we consider the responsibilities that will rest on the City Council on account of the very important city works that will have to be carried out, involving heavy expenditure, the same should be managed for the best interests of the city as a whole. Due consideration should be given to the possibilities of, and the position this city will occupy in the very near future.

I therefore ask for the support of my fellow citizens and taxpayers in the coming election.

I am, Ladies and Gentlemen,
Yours faithfully,
HERBERT W. DAVIES.

FOR ALDERMAN

Having been requested by many voters of the city of Victoria to offer myself as a candidate for Aldermanic honors, I solicit your votes and influence on the platform of fair play and progress.

W. C. VAN MUNSTER.

To the Electors of the City of Victoria

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I am a candidate for the Aldermanic Board and solicit your votes and influence, my motto is a clean up-to-date city and if returned I will work for the best interests of the citizens.

R. J. PORTER.

To the Electors of the City of Victoria

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

At the request of a number of the electors, I beg to announce myself as a candidate for Alderman. I shall endeavor, if elected, to have pushed forward to an early completion the Sooke Lake water system, the thorough sanitation of the city, and the installation of a municipal paving plant. I shall advocate only the employment on city works of our own citizens and British subjects, and will only support such measures that have for their object the advancement of the city.

As a member of former Councils, and having taken an active part in the initiatory stages of the various works now under construction, the experience I have gained justifies me in respectfully soliciting your votes and influence at the forthcoming election.

Yours respectfully,
W. F. FULLERTON

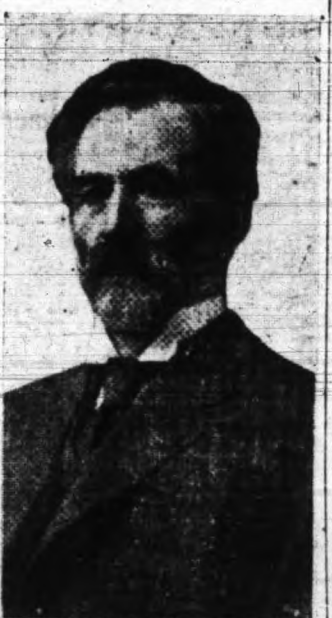
To the Electors of Esquimalt Municipality

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Owing to the courtesy and wish of many friends in the Esquimalt Municipality, I have decided to offer myself as Reeve in the forthcoming election. I shall appreciate having the assistance and co-operation of my friends, and if elected will stand for a progressive policy such as I believe the Electors of the Municipality desire.

Yours respectfully,
J. R. SAUNDERS.

To the Electors of the City of Victoria



LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I am a candidate for the Aldermanic Board and solicit your votes and influence. My motto is a clean up-to-date city and if returned I will work for the best interests of the citizens.

JOHN DILWORTH.

FOR ALDERMAN

To the Electors of the City of Victoria.

Ladies and Gentlemen—

I am a candidate for alderman in the coming municipal election. Should you return me as one of your representatives I will endeavor to merit the confidence placed in me by a faithful discharge of my duties, ever remembering that I represent not a particular district but the whole city and all its citizens.

Yours respectfully,
GEO. MCANDLESS.

FOR ALDERMAN

TO THE RATEPAYERS OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA:

Ladies and Gentlemen—

I beg to announce myself as a candidate at the municipal elections and respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

I believe that my record both as a citizen and as one who has had previous long experience in civic administration will bear the closest scrutiny. It was my privilege to serve as alderman for four years—1892-'3, '5-'7—and during that period I occupied the important posts of Chairman of the Finance Committee, the Electric Light Committee, and also of the Market Committee. I also served on the Board of Fire Wardens. I feel that my experience justifies me in believing that if elected on his occasion I can render you excellent service at the Council Board.

I have the honor to remain,
Ladies and Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
E. BRAGG.

WATER ACT.

Notice of Application for the Approval of Works.

TAKES NOTICE that The Portland Cement Construction Company, Limited, will apply to the Comptroller of Water Rights for the approval of the plans of the works to be constructed for the utilization of the water from China Creek, which the applicant is, by Water Permits No. 5 and 6, authorized to take, store and use for domestic and industrial purposes, and also for the purpose of generating power, at the site of the said works, situated in the Malahat District.

The plans and particulars required by section 2 of the Water Rights Act, as amended, have been filed with the Comptroller of Water Rights at Victoria, B. C., this 7th day of December, 1912.

Objections to the application may be filed with the Comptroller of Water Rights, at Victoria, B. C., this 7th day of December, 1912.

WILLIAM E. LAWSON,
Agent of the Applicant.

FEUDAL SYSTEM NOT ABOLISHED

RUSSIAN PEASANT STILL VICTIM OF OLD SYSTEM

Professor Kincaid Describes What He Found in Czar's Dominions

When Professor Kincaid, who holds the chair of Zoology at the University of Washington, paid a visit to Russia two years ago, it had nothing to do with the great social and economic problems which have for many years past been simmering in that land of unrest and discontent. His quest was precisely the same as that which took him to Japan in 1908, when he was sent by the American government to hunt for parasites that would prove effective in the destruction of the all-devastating gypsy moth which was doing such mischief in parts of America. Incidentally his visit to the great European country gave him some very intimate observations on the life of the people, some of which he imparted to a Times reporter yesterday.

"The American government had set forth on its quest for an effective parasite for the purpose of combating the gypsy moth," said the professor, "and was determined to leave no stone unturned to obtain this. Parasites from France and Germany were tried with more or less success, but Russia had still been unexplored in this respect, so it determined to send me there. Armed with the necessary credentials from the Minister of Agriculture at Washington to the Minister of Agriculture at St. Petersburg, I had little difficulty in obtaining introductions to the various American consuls of all the cities through Russia, who helped me in whatever way I required when I applied to them. I went almost directly to Bessarabia, a little province down on the Black Sea, where there are great forests, and where I knew that there were many parasites scarcely known in other parts of Europe. There I remained for nearly six months, exploring the forests for specimens of parasites, and incidentally getting many little side-lights on the life of the people."

"The governor of Bessarabia enjoys the distinction of the very Scotch name of Baron Stuart, which he has inherited through four generations from an ancestor of the name who left Scotland many years ago and migrated to Germany. This ancestor married a German lady, and their son in his turn still turned eastward and moved to Russia in early manhood, marrying a Russian lady in due course, and thus still further blotting out the memory of Scotland for his progeny. The four generations, however, were not entirely successful in eradicating all traces of the earlier home, as Baron Stuart, while by a casual analysis passing for a Russian gentleman, retains not only his ancestor's Scotch name but several of the Scottish characteristics. It was owing to one of these, his love of science and natural history, that we became great friends. It is a very unusual thing for a Russian to be interested to such an extent in natural history, and our mutual sympathy in this respect led to his taking much more interest in me than he would otherwise have done. Most of the governors of Russian provinces spent their leisure in endowing prisons or taking up some form of social work, but Baron Stuart had created a wonderful museum at Kichinev very much like your Natural History Museum in Victoria. In addition to this he was president of the Natural History Society of the province, and was really lavish in his expenditure on his hobby, the museum being a beautiful piece of Moorish architecture decorated in the Arabesque style, and absolutely fireproof. The collection was entirely of local specimens, collected by a German curator and his wife who had spent twenty-five years in making life-like groups of birds, insects and the like.

Still in Force.

"My most interesting glimpse into the inner life of the Russians," continued the professor, "came through my prolonged stay in the old feudal castle of Gauchesty, about twenty miles from Kichinev, and the residence of an autocratic prince who spent most of his time in Paris and other European capitals while the control of his big estate was left to an all-powerful manager."

"Feudalism does not officially exist in Russia any longer, but is still very much in force in certain parts of the country where the peasant is in a very ignorant state. Bessarabia until 1829 was under Turkish rule, but at the close of the Turkish war was taken over by Russia, which has not had so much time to institute changes which have crept into those other provinces which have been for centuries under the sway of the czars. The peasant of Bessarabia is of Roumanian origin, and so profoundly ignorant that he is about the nearest approach possible to an animal. This prince's estate was very large, being about twelve miles long and six miles wide. The castle stood in a dignified position at the top of a hill, and below was the village of peasants' huts where the poor creatures huddled together in their misery. For the Russian peasant is not a thrifty man, and his condition is a great deal worse than necessary under the circumstances. In the first place they are nearly all drunkards, and under the feudal system they have little incentive to work, as they never own any of the land themselves and are treated just like cattle by the overseers and managers of the estates. Everything, land, cattle, even the men, were owned by the prince, who in himself was a charming man, but so accustomed to regarding the peasants as a chattel that the question of their humanity never seemed to enter his mind. After the proceeds of the harvest had been properly handed over to him he gave his slave-peasants no further thought."

"Was there any sign of unrest and discontent among the peasants?" queried the interviewer.

"Not openly, although there is always a something sullen and hopeless in their manner. A few years before my visit, however, the emissaries of the revolutionaries who were trying to stir up Russia, came among the ignorant people with the specious announcement that the Czar had deposed the prince and that they, the peasants, were the rightful owners of the broad lands they had worked for him. Fired with the plausible story the enraged people attacked the castle, burning parts, beating down others, until they were finally driven back by the soldiers whom the prince called in. That even the autocratic prince had not forgotten this outbreak of violence was attested by the presence of a number of mounted cannon round the palace to prevent any recurrence of the disturbance."

Jews Are Superior.

The Jew is, according to Professor Kincaid, intellectually superior to the Russian, but has been kept utterly in submission. The prejudice is not religious, neither is it racial, but, as this student of sociology has come to the conclusion, as purely economical in its foundations as in every other country. In the universities only five per cent of the students are allowed to be Jews as every means is used to prevent this. The Jews get over this difficulty to some extent by establishing their own universities, which, however, are futile from a utilitarian standpoint owing to the fact that degrees from these institutions are not recognized by the government, and carry no weight in applying for civil positions.

The temperate and thrifty Jew, he discovered, was feared as well as despised by the improvident and drunken Russian, although his observations of the former led him to believe that they possessed most of the virtues without the vices of the latter. They are essentially commercial, and one who applied to him for the position of interpreter, and after a cross-examination of his would-be employer was unable to see any money-making enterprise in view, exclaimed: "What a funny business; nothing to buy and nothing to sell!" The Russian, on the other hand, is neither enterprising nor particularly intelligent, and on one occasion a waiter who had learned the easy problem of how to charge for a fat duck, informed the professor that two items from the same bill would cost more than the whole. The professor overcame this difficulty by ordering the entire meal and feeding a big mastiff with those courses which he did not wish, the waiter looking on at the proceeding.

Professor Kincaid admits that he has a great weakness for sociology, which, however, comes naturally with any extensive research in biological fields. No more perfect social system exists anywhere, he contends, than in the life of the ant or the bee, and observations in the field of humanity provide apt analogies of customs prevalent in the community life of the smaller creatures. At Washington University he gives lectures in ethnology to a class of 75 students, in addition to his lectures in biology. One of the problems on which he is spending a great deal of his spare time at present is in relation to the oyster industry, although teaching occupies so much of his day that other subjects are rather pushed into the background during the greater part of the year.

A PASSING SHOW

Majestic Theatre.

For Monday and Tuesday: "The Reincarnation of Karma," special feature release, deals with a new embodiment. During the early Christian era, Karma, high priest of the Temple of India, resists with all his religious fervor, Quinetra, a fascinating enchantress. Quinetra eventually conquers Karma falls a victim to her wiles. She triumphantly taunts him, and out-faced at her cruel deception, Karma curses her and Quinetra is transformed into a huge snake. Fifteen hundred years later, Karma appears, reincarnated in the personality of Leslie Adams and loves the beautiful heiress, Lillian White. Together they visit the ancient temple of Karma and are shown the reptile, which every hundred years resumes human form. While Leslie gazes fascinated, the snake uncoils and Quinetra stands before him in all her bewitching charm. Other films are "Our Lady of the Pearls," a dramatic romance; "Love Through a Lens," a pretty love story; "A Day's Outing," a farce comedy; and "Bill Hogg's Windfall," a great fun maker.

Empress Theatre.

"The Matrimonial Substitute," the sketch which heads the bill at the Empress Theatre this week, is given by George Palmer Moore, Miss Elliott. The plot deals with the mistake made by a young bride-to-be in taking a piano salesman to be the substitute husband. The European gymnasts, Les Jardys, a quartette brought from the Continent, present feats of gymnastics and balancing including one in which the man whirls two of the three women in the air rapidly around his head with nothing more than a tooth-hold. Pierce and Malzee offer a number entitled "Styles and Smiles." They make a number of costume changes, from those of the days of the crinoline to the rags of to-day. Grant Gardner, a black-face comedian, is billed as "The Mirthful Music Box." He has a droll monologue. He plays some musical numbers and one on the Swiss bells. Campbell and McDonald have a novel act for which they bring their own scenery, showing four drops. They make a number of costume changes for their singing and dancing numbers which run the gamut of several nations.

At birth the pulch of a not at individual case the lines per minute; at the age of thirty, 70 lines.

BIOLOGIST DESCRIBES SEARCH FOR INSECTS

PROF. KINCAID TOURED JAPAN ON HIS MISSION

Commissioned by United States Government to Find Enemy of Gypsy Moth

On Saturday evening last, under the auspices of the University Women's Club, Professor Kincaid, of the University of Washington, gave a very interesting lecture on "Parasite Hunting in Japan," his talk being a description of the country through which he passed in his search for effective parasites for the destruction of the gypsy moth, which had been introduced some years before into America, and had been defolating the trees in such a destructive manner. Whole forests had been burned in the eastern United States in an effort to stamp out the pest, but it had continued to spread in an alarming way, and the secretary of agriculture at Washington had finally concluded that there was no other means possible for their destruction than to introduce some of their natural enemies.

Professor Kincaid was chosen for the mission, and in 1908 was sent by the American government to Japan, where he made Tokyo his headquarters. The Japanese scientists whom he took into his confidence in connection with his work were courteous itself, and at all times gave him every possible assistance, so that the work which might otherwise have been difficult, proved comparatively easy. Fujami was scaled, along with other mountains, in search of the necessary parasites, and among the eminent Japanese scientists who assisted him were Professor Kuwana, in charge of the experimental work for the Japanese government; Professor Matsumura, who had been educated in a German university; Professor Ojima, one of the most brilliant of the empire's scientists; Professor Nawa, who had charge of a large private agricultural school for boys, and others. Although occasionally the American scientist came across isolated specimens of trees which had been denuded by the gypsy moths (Porthetria dispar), their depredations had been effectively checked by their own destruction by their insect enemies. The first of these which the professor discovered was the Glyptanthele japonica, which on account of its warlike qualities he christened the "Samurai" parasite. Next in the series of enemies was the "Big thigh" or Chalcid flavipes, after which he discovered the Tachina, which killed the gypsy moth by stinging. Another enemy, the Schedius Kuwanae, proved an important discovery, as this tiny insect destroyed the eggs of the gypsy moth caterpillar. Incidentally his research work led him to the discovery

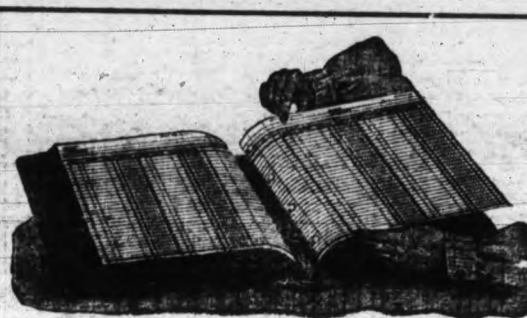
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of secondary parasites which destroyed the parasites of the parasites, and these he had to carefully avoid sending back to America with the consignments of insects which he finally succeeded in enclosing.

Unfortunately the parasites, to the number of more than 100,000, which he succeeded in shipping into America, did not prove as effective as had been hoped, many succumbing to the cold New England winters before they had had time to acclimatize themselves. Some are still in a flourishing condition, however, and may in time, it is hoped, increase and multiply in sufficient numbers to be effective in the destruction of the objectionable moth. At the close of his lecture, in the course of which the professor threw many interesting side-lights on the social customs of the Japanese people, Miss Cann, president of the Women's University Club, who had provided over the meeting, added a few words of thanks to those of W. J. Sutton and the Hon. Dr. Young, who had moved and seconded a resolution of appreciation for the delightful address which had been given by the speaker. Professor Kincaid returned yesterday afternoon to Seattle.

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A TOP-NOTCH HAND

FUTURE CONFLICT OF INDUSTRIALISM

BATTLE OF LABOR WILL BE FOUGHT HERE

President Wilkinson Points to
Work of Federation
During Year

A number of matters were dealt with to-day at the session of the British Columbia Federation of Labor. One of the most important features at the afternoon session was the report of the president, J. W. Wilkinson, on the work of the past year.

"Since our last convention many things have transpired in connection with the labor movement in British Columbia, which will necessitate the careful consideration of all the delegates to this convention. Foremost among these matters is the attitude of the government labor commission towards the demands made by the Federation last year. After much vexatious delay, a royal commission has been appointed to inquire into the conditions surrounding the industrial

we are in session, the question of our attitude towards the commission will doubtless be one of the first matters brought forward for your consideration.

"There is considerable opinion abroad that the Federation has been unsuccessful in its efforts to bring about a settlement of the coal miners' strike. I cannot refrain from pointing out to you, that since we presented our demands last year, the workers of this province have again given the entire government power of British Columbia into the hands of the employing classes of the province, who are not exactly bursting with enthusiasm for the workers who have elected them.

"At our last meeting, the report of the work of the Federation for the previous year showed that we had increased our membership and affiliations in a very substantial way. Since then, our work of consolidating the forces of organized labor in British Columbia has been going steadily forward.

Miners Join.

"The affiliation of the coal miners of District 18, which is situated in the Crow's Nest Pass, completes the affiliation of the whole of the quartz and coal miners of British Columbia with our Federation. This is one of the most gratifying results of the work of the past year, because up to the time when this Federation was organized the lack of co-operation between the workers of the interior and the coast cities, was one of the chief weaknesses of the labor movement of the province. Now that we are all linked together by one common bond, the way is made clearer for us to lay plans in the general interest of the class to which all

such meagre recompense as they are entitled to under the act.

"Now that the Federation is beginning to assume practical size and shape, it is necessary that we should have a newspaper devoted entirely to the interests of organized labor. There is nothing in the programme of the Federation which I consider of greater importance than the necessity of having a press to voice the needs and news of the workers of the province."

Political Action.

"The returns of the vote which have been taken of our membership on the question of the principles of Socialism being adopted as the policy of the Federation, will be laid before you. Above all things, have a care not to confuse your personal sympathies and ideals with the practical facts of the case as they are before you, for therein may lie the possibilities of disaster which might have been avoided by a deeper and more analytical study of the question. The feeling is undoubtedly on the increase that the day is coming when the organized power of the Federation must be expressed by direct political effort on our part, as it is for you to decide how this can be best done, whilst at the same time conserving the organization of our Federation, which has been built up at the cost of much effort and money. We know what we want. The task before us is to decide the ways and means by which it can be obtained.

"The increase of the per capita tax from one cent to two cents per member per month, has been cheerfully sanctioned by our membership.

"The opportunities for the investment of capital in Europe and the older countries, have been, almost entirely absorbed, and British Columbia offers itself as one of the most advantageous fields for the re-investment of profits drawn from the semi-pauperized centers of industry in Great Britain and elsewhere. Whatever relics of feudalism or sentiment are left in the commercial code of Europe, are entirely eliminated here. Modern capitalism has established itself in British Columbia, and is operating with ruthless disregard for the mental and physical labor of the entire wealth of the province is produced. There are signs that the final phases of the age-long struggle of the workers will be fought out in these, the lands of the Far West, and it will require much effort and sacrifice to devise methods of holding and increasing our own in the fierce struggle for existence in British Columbia.

"In this struggle, the British Columbia Federation of Labor can be made a great power on the side of the workers, providing that we exercise care

TWELVE THOUSAND IN AFFILIATION

GREAT INCREASE IS SHOWN IN NUMBERS

Forty-Six Thousand Dollars
Have Been Available for
Strike Funds

The secretary, Victor R. Midgley, reported to the British Columbia Federation of Labor to-day, as follows:

The receipts from the per capita tax were \$1,900, and from miscellaneous sources \$1,008; a total of \$2,908, the total disbursements were \$2,438.

Cumberland Strike.

In response to an application to David Irvine, miner's agent at Nanaimo, as to the disposition of the Cumberland strike funds, Mr. Irvine wrote:

"Of the subscribed amount, \$45,649 has been donated by the United Mine Workers of America, and \$865.65 by the organized labor of British Columbia. There has been spent for transportation out of men who had been sent to Cumberland to scab, printing, etc., \$392.25; \$500 for building material to shelter the people exiled at Cumberland; the balance has been spent for the necessities of life to supply wants. Our store bills last week amounted to \$5,848; the bill for building material supplied has not come to the office yet, but I expect that will be \$500 more as per agreement. So you see it takes over \$6,000 per week to finance this strike. It takes almost that amount for food alone. There are no luxuries to be had or money to be wasted even at that. The remittance from the international union for this week is in the mails, not having been received, and therefore is not included in the above list.

"An itemized account of every dollar received and every dollar expended is kept. Every officer authorized to handle any part of this money is under bond, the national auditors will audit all accounts, and if there is anything not clear an expert accountant from the bonding company also. Receipts

favor of the principles of Socialism by the Federation."

In response to a request for information about accidents the secretary states that between July 1, 1911, and June 30, 1912, the total number of cases reported was as follows: Number of men killed while engaged at their employment, 12; number of men injured, 228; number of cases where compensation was collected, 95; number of cases where legal proceedings were instituted for the collection of damages, 12. The total reported cost of legal proceedings is \$428.35; the total reported amount of compensation collected is \$8,022.

"These figures are obviously inadequate and misleading, and while a number of the local union secretaries undoubtedly went to considerable trouble in an endeavor to secure the required information, it demonstrates the fact that very few if any unions keep a record of the deaths and injuries that occur in their membership."

THETIS ISLANDER TALKS IN HONGKONG

British Columbian in Orient
Speaks on Conditions Here

It is a long jump from holding a commission in the Fourth Hussars to a chicken farm on an island off British Columbia, but Mr. A. Barrington Foote, who made this change, and who arrived in the colony by a Blue Funnel steamer, expresses himself as much pleased with Pacific Coast life, says the Hongkong Daily Telegraph.

"I went out to Thetis Island five years ago," Mr. Foote says, "and began the study of chicken raising as a farm hand on wages.

"Mr. Burchell owns the island, or nearly all of it, and he has a mixed industry of his own there that is astonishingly successful. He breeds pigs and cattle, besides owning a huge chicken farm, and he has a saw mill also that yields excellent profits.

"I was made manager of the chicken farm after having been there a year, and had great luck with it. The number of birds that we have regularly on hand rarely goes below the 2,000 mark, and we have got up to as high as 3,100 fowls.

"The breed that we have found to be most successful under the climatic conditions, are White Leghorns, as the best utility bird. Last year we averaged 170 eggs per hen, and this is considered phenomenal for the Pacific Coast."

When asked about the best record that his birds had made, Mr. Foote answered:

"I had one pen of sixty hens that averaged each 200 eggs for the year. When one considers the length of our winters, and the fact that it is so difficult to make hens lay in bitterly cold temperatures, it will be understood that this record is a very hard one to beat. We are great believers in plenty of open air for the birds rather than keeping them housed, no matter how cold the weather. Of course," Mr. Foote added, "when there is a heavy fall of soft snow—and by that I mean a snow that does not crust over—we keep them in."

"Our houses are wire fronted, with the new angular perches, as we have found that the birds rest better on them."

The subject of incubators was brought up and our informant said: "After experimenting a great deal with the Cyphers incubators, hot water outfits, and kerosene lamp positions, we have deemed it more wise to use the fireless brooders in conjunction with the Cyphers, as the percentage loss of chicks is far less. Our hatching has always been good, the fertility loss seldom going over 2 per cent, and the actual hatching amounting to 84 per cent. Of this total we rear successfully 72 per cent. of the eggs put down."

When asked about the market for the farm's output, Mr. Foote replied: "Practically all our eggs go to Prince Rupert, British Columbia, and the prices range from 30 cents to 66 cents (gold) per dozen, according to the scarcity and the demand. This year the price will be higher still."

When asked as to his future plans Mr. Foote said that he intended returning later to British Columbia to start a chicken farm of his own. "There is a good profit to be made in that business," he said, "and the life is an energetic and exhilarating one."

Homeseekers Note

ARTISTIC BUNGALOW, six rooms, situated on Wildwood avenue, East Bay district. It is a solidly built structure and is rendered the more attractive because of its nearness both to the beach and to the car. There are three bedrooms, a bathroom, a drawingroom panelled, the basement of cement, and it is equipped with a furnace. \$1250 cash will handle. Price \$5750

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RHODES SCHOLARS.

Son of Late Baron Von Bieberstein is
Now Freshman at Oxford
University.

The young men of other nations are more and more preparing themselves for the wider future looming before all, by what may be called international education. The Rhodes scholars at Oxford are year by year recruited from the overseas British dominions, from America and from Germany. But they by no means exhaust the list. Many Americans came to England for part of their education before the days of the Rhodes scholars; many more go to Germany, and some to France. This present term at Oxford sees a new "freshman" in the person of a son of the late lamented ambassador, Baron Marshall von Bieberstein. His father's reports would, in any case, secure him a warm welcome, after which, such is the aristocratic democracy of Oxford, everything will depend on himself.

LONDON'S FOOT TRAFFIC.

The city of London streets near the Mansion House are said to have the heaviest foot-passenger traffic of any capital in the world—namely, 500,000 persons per week-day. The Place de l'Opera, in Paris, has the heaviest vehicular traffic—63,000 vehicles per day, as compared with 50,000 per day at the Mansion House corner. The Place de l'Opera has 150,000 foot passengers per week-day, or only 50,000 per day fewer than the most crowded London street. Fewer than 500,000 persons pass along the Broadway, New York, in the day on foot, and more than 500,000 pass in motor cars and tram cars.



J. W. WILKINSON

President of the British Columbia Federation of Labor, who delivered his address to-day.

workers of British Columbia, and our demands have been referred without reserve to that commission.

"It is not my object or desire to question the good intent of the members of the commission; but it had been my hope that the government would have given direct representation to the Federation on the commission. It is our duty and business to make a specialized study of the working class problem of this province, and it is my opinion, that if the government had been desirous of making a genuine inquiry into the conditions of the workers of British Columbia, they would have been glad to avail themselves of the services of at least one representative of our Federation. However, in this respect we have been ignored, and as the commission is announced to commence its sittings in this city whilst

belong, irrespective of the nature of our employment.

"The last convention expressed the desirability of the Federation having plans for the more effective administration of the Workmen's Compensation Act in the interests of our membership, and proposals will be laid before you, having that object in view. It is desirable that the Federation should, if possible, take charge of all claims for compensation for accidents which happen to any of our members whilst following their employment.

Accident Relief.

"More and more industries are every day being established in this province, and the number of industrial accidents must consequently increase. Many of the victims, by reason of poverty, and a lack of knowledge of the Workmen's Compensation Act, never receive even



R. P. PETTIPIECE

Editor of the B. C. Federationist.

and cautious judgment, making sure that each step taken is based upon the sanction and support of the individual members of the organized labor movement of British Columbia."

IDEAS OF A PLAIN MAN

By DR. FRANK CRANE.

Man is not yet created.

We are now only in the stew and hubbub of the making. If you go into the kitchen when the cooks are getting ready a great feast you will find yourself in the midst of confusion and fitter; out of this shall come the splendid banquet, with browned fowl, offset by snowy nappery and gleaming silver, all order and courtesy, fringed with laughter. If you inspect a house that is building you will see but scaffolding and rubbish. If you bite into an apple that is green you will have your teeth set in edges for your palate. If you have known the statesman only when he was at the age of fifteen you will find it hard to believe his poise and power. A plague on you! Wait!

It will take you a thousand years perhaps to meet that perfect man, that high type of woman. Our cities are all temporary, wait till we tear them down and rebuild. Our continent landscape gardening has hardly commenced. Our science is still learning to walk. Our religion is still lying and has not learned to speak. Don't hurry us. We move slow. Come back in a century or so and we'll show you something.

will have to be produced for all money spent."

Membership.

At the first annual convention, held in March, 1911, there were 39 Unions, 3 Trades 4 Labor Councils, and 1 Building Trades Council affiliated with the Federation, representing a total membership of 4,625.

At the second annual convention, held in January, 1912, there were 54 Unions, 3 Trades and Labor Councils, and 2 Building Trades Council affiliated, representing a total membership of 8,276.

Since that last convention one organization, representing 100 members, has withdrawn from the Federation, and 16 Unions have been affiliated.

The 16 new affiliations represent a membership of 2,754, and there has been a reported increase in the membership of organizations affiliated at the last convention to the extent of 48. This brings the membership now affiliated with the Federation to a total of 11,027.

The following unions have affiliated since the last convention: Bartenders, Moving Picture Operators, Upholsterers, Longshoremen of Vancouver, Blacksmiths, Machinists, of Revelstoke; U. M. W. of America, at Nanaimo, Fernie, Rosmer, Michel and Corbin; Amalgamated Carpenters and Plumbers, at New Westminster; Brotherhood of Carpenters at Prince Rupert; Plasterers and Longshoremen at Victoria. The Typographical Union of Victoria has withdrawn.

"There is still a large section of organized labor outside the Federation, and this work of organization must be continued."

"Early in the New Year it is my intention to forward a circular to the officers of the various international unions, urging them to use their best endeavors to persuade any of their local unions in this province that have not affiliated with the federation, to do so."

"The result of the referendum on Socialism showed a majority of 1,287 in



J. H. McVEY

Vice-president of the Federation, which meets to-day in this city.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the electors of the Township of Esquimalt that I require the presence of the said electors at my office, Esplanade Street School grounds, on Monday, the 13th day of January, 1913, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Reeve and Councillors, and to elect two School Trustees.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows:—
The candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of this notice and two p.m. of the day of the nomination; the said writing shall be in form to be furnished by the Returning Officer, and shall state the names, residence and occupation of each candidate, and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on Saturday, the 19th day of January, 1913, at the Esplanade School House, Esquimalt, at which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

The qualifications by law required to be possessed by the candidates for the offices mentioned above are as follows:—
Qualifications for Reeve and Councillors: The qualifications for the first municipal election the qualifications for Reeve shall be his being a male British subject and having been for the three months next preceding the day of his nomination the registered owner, in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property situated within the Municipality of the assessed value, on the last municipal or provincial assessment roll, of five hundred dollars or more, and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise duly qualified as a municipal voter.

Qualifications for Councillors: After the first municipal election, the qualifications for a Councillor shall be the being a male British subject and having been for the three months next preceding the day of his nomination the registered owner, in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property situated within the Municipality of the assessed value, on the last municipal or provincial assessment roll, of two hundred and fifty dollars or more, and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise duly qualified as a municipal voter.

Qualifications for School Trustees: In every municipal school district, any person being a householder in the school district, and having been for the three months next preceding the day of his nomination the registered owner, in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property situated within the Municipality of the assessed value, on the last municipal or provincial assessment roll, of five hundred dollars or more, and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise duly qualified as a municipal voter.

Given under my hand at Esquimalt this 31st day of December 1912.

THOMAS SHEPHERD.

Returning Officer.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for a transfer of the license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors on the premises known as the James Bay Hotel, corner of Government and Toronto streets, Victoria, B. C., from Mrs. J. M. Anderson to Allan McAllister, to Fred C. Smith, of the said City of Victoria.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 27th day of December, 1912.

ALLAN McALLISTER.

88th Regiment, Victoria Fusiliers

917 Douglas St.

NOTICE

The Orderly Room will be open at 8 p.m. for the purpose of attesting recruits on Tuesday next, the 14th inst.

A meeting of the officers will be held after attestation.

There will be a meeting of the Sergeants' Mess at 8.30 p.m. on Tuesday, the 14th, in the Orderly Room. All members are requested to attend this meeting as much business of importance has to be considered.

W. DEALE, Major.

Acting Adjutant.

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LARGE GATHERING OPENS IN CITY TO-DAY

Important Problems for Discussion by B. C. Federation of Labor During Present Week

To-day the British Columbia Federation of Labor assembled for the third time in Victoria, each year having seen development in the federation, and the strength of its organization. But this year the meeting is of special importance, in view of the opening to-morrow of the sessions of the Labor Commission, which enables the case to be presented to the commission direct, in fact, one of the first subjects to be determined, after the welcome from public authorities, will be the attitude of the federation to the commission, upon which a former vice-president has been appointed by the government.

Miners in Affiliation. The most important change to be observed in the personnel of the convention, is the presence of the delegates representing the unions of metalliferous and bituminous miners along the International boundary, as well as on Vancouver Island. It is true there was a representative present last meeting as a visitor, but the locals were not then in the federation.

The meeting is once again at the Foresters' hall, and there is expected to be a large attendance as the meeting proceeds. The principal figures at the convention will be Executive Board of the federation, who, with a few of the leading unionists of Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster, will lead the convention.

J. W. Wilkinson, the general and active secretary, will have charge of the proceedings, and Victor Mudgey, who recently returned to Vancouver after a short residence here, will be the secretary once again. R. P. Pettipiece and J. H. McVety, without whom no gathering of British Columbia labor men would be complete, will both take an active part in the work of the convention, the former being particularly anxious to see the federation determine its attitude to political agitation. J. Taylor represents the miners of Vancouver Island, Lady Smith being his home, and Robert McVety, of Moyie, is the vice president from the interior mining groups. R. D. Grant, of New Westminster, is the Royal C.M.O.'s representative, and this body has on the board the secretary of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council, Christian Sivertz. The other member of the executive board is Glen Stubbs, of Fernie, who has been added subsequently to the election of officers in January.

Some Questions.

Since the last meeting a referendum of the affiliated unions has been taken on the question of endorsing the Socialist propaganda, and the result will be reported. The leaders are expecting one of the most important discussions at this convention will be that upon the Cumberland strike. Naturally the great importance which has been given to this strike and the effect on the public as consumers of coal, together with various rumors which have percolated through of conditions in the strike area, have made it inevitable that an official statement from the side of the strikers should be made. F. Farrington, representative of the International Union of the United Mine Workers of America, has notified the president that he will attend to explain the attitude of that powerful organization to the strike, while R. Forster, the president of the local union, will speak on the case.

Referendum has already been made to the attitude to the commission recently set up by the government, and the scope of its work, and limitations, are to be the subject of criticism as the convention proceeds. Several matters like workmen's compensation, Oriental labor in industries, and similar subjects about which much was said last meeting, will again be discussed.

Immigration by Canal. A number of resolutions will be presented, and referred to the usual committees for action, and the incoming executive will be called upon to condense them for presentation to the authorities. The immigration question, in view of the time when the possibility of the Panama Canal will be translated into the actualities of fact, will be dealt with, and also the colonization and land schemes floated from time to time in the Old Country. There is little doubt that valuable information will be forthcoming from W. R. Trotter, who has made a special study of the question for the Trades Congress of Canada.

Therefore it will be seen that the federation has an important programme before it, and that the sessions of the next few days are fraught with possibilities of warm debate. A number of the delegates arrived on Saturday and yesterday, and the headquarters of the convention, where the executive office has been taken, is at the Prince George Hotel.

The federation is not expected to meet again in Victoria, the bulk of the Mainland members desiring a movable conference, and a strong bid will be made to hold the federation meeting in New Westminster next year.

A VALUABLE MAN.

Smith—I see you're paying the expense of that palter who fell off the roof. Brown—Sure, he's too good a man to lose. As he went down he touched up three or four places which would have been extremely difficult to reach in the ordinary way.—P. I. P.

BOUGHT AND PAID FOR.

Householder—Look here, I'll give you sixpence to go round into the next street. The Wallys—No use, guv'nor; a fellow round there gave us a shilling to come here.—Casell's Saturday Journal.

LETTER BOX

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Letters for publication in Daily Times must be received before 10 a.m. When received after that hour they will go over until next day.

While unobjectionable anonymous communications will be published, the name and address of every writer of such letters must be given to the editor.

LABOR'S DUE.

To the Editor.—In the interest of British fair play (which is a jewel) will you permit me to correct a very misleading statement of Mayor Beck with that Mr. Morley is opposed to a \$3 day?

Men on sidewalk contracts have received this amount from July, 1911, but there are others engaged on maintenance work and garbage collection who are not at present in receipt of this munificent sum.

Labor conditions were far better under ex-Mayor Morley's regime for civic employees than the present Council, which I trust all voters will consider on the 16th inst.

DEVONIAN.

VICTORIA & SIDNEY RAILWAY.

To the Editor.—I have taken an interest in the settlement of the existing dispute between the Victoria & Sidney Railway on the one side and the city of Victoria and the province of British Columbia on the other, for the reason that I believe it is right that every resident and taxpayer should take an interest in the present proposal to settle this for the sum of \$25,000. This statement is so much at variance with the facts of the case that I believe the actual situation should be published.

If Mr. Morley is correctly quoted by both the Times and the Colonist, he on a recent occasion stated that the city's interest in the Victoria & Sidney Railway amounted to \$25,000, and that the present proposal to settle this for the sum of \$25,000. This statement is so much at variance with the facts of the case that I believe the actual situation should be published.

Now, on the other hand, the Great Northern Railway Company is prepared to pay the sum of \$35,000 to the city and \$50,000 to the province, and the city and the province have agreed to accept this offer. This statement is so much at variance with the facts of the case that I believe the actual situation should be published.

Mr. Morley seems to think that the Great Northern Railway Company is getting the city of Victoria is the party that is getting the letter and the money. Immediately upon payment by the Great Northern Railway Company of \$75,000 to settle the cash item in this claim, they must assume \$75,000 in interest to be paid. They must at the end of five years pay off bonds amounting to \$250,000, a total of \$325,000. In addition to that the Government Railway Commission has issued orders to the Victoria & Sidney Railway Company that it must either make improvements in the line and make a first-class railway out of it or close it up.

Now, the very best sum of money that it will take to put on a new ferry boat, new rolling stock, new steel, new ties, and new equipment is the sum of \$250,000. This does not cover the expense which the Great Northern Railway will have to go to, because to compete with the Canadian Northern Railway and the British Columbia Electric Railway they must reduce their grades and cut out the curves.

This in itself will mean an expenditure of from \$2,000 to \$5,000. Admitting that it costs the smaller sum, you then have \$250,000 which the railway must expend on this property immediately, it takes possession of it. This sum added to the \$250,000 gives you a total of \$500,000, which the city and the province will stand the Great Northern Railway system.

Mind you, if this question comes to law and the city becomes possessed of this railroad, as some of the people think it should, the city must spend the identical sum which the Great Northern Railway will have to spend to put it in shape, as the Railway Commission will require the owner of this property, whether it be the local holders, the city or the Great Northern Railway Company, to put it in shape.

Now, do you for one moment believe that the city will be making a good bargain if it is permitted to drift into a lawsuit with the Great Northern Railway, and then to be obliged to shoulder it with a burden of this kind?

Some people say you could sell it to another railway. As a matter of fact the only railway entering the peninsula could have made any use of this property was the Canadian Northern Railway. They went over the Victoria & Sidney system with a fine tooth comb, and after a thorough investigation made up their minds that they could not afford to pay the price the city asked, and consequently they have bought their own right-of-way and will build their own railroad from the lower end of the peninsula.

I believe that the railroad is worth more to the Great Northern people than to any other line, and I believe they are offered more for it than any other railway would acquire this line and proposing to put it in shape, because it is the only line that can be built in the peninsula, and I believe that the city's interest in this line will prove lucrative.

This question is one that the present city council has given a great deal of time to, and the council has gone into every phase of the situation and I believe they are amply qualified to pass judgment to the best interests of the city and the province.

ENGLISH BANDMASTER ARRIVES IN VICTORIA

J. C. Johnson, of Liverpool Has Brought Many Instruments With Him

Victoria's musical organizations are likely to be added to in a very important respect in the near future through the arrival in the city in the person of J. C. Johnson, of Liverpool.

Mr. Johnson, who is now something over two score years of age, had, at the age of 12, already passed through a thorough training of the violin, and has since been under some of the best army bandmasters in England, and held a position as orchestral and military band instructor. All his musical training, he told a Times representative yesterday, was obtained in London, under some of the big bandmasters of the metropolis. He was at one time soloist in the First Essex Artillery Band in London, and was the famous Weber's deputy conductor.

After many years in London, where he met John Goss, an senior, beloved of the English public, Mr. Johnson went to South Africa. There his work as a teacher of music was highly appreciated, till, falling a victim to malaria, he returned to London six years ago, where he was immediately appointed bandmaster of the Seaforth Military Band, Liverpool. At that time the band was in a very disorganized state, but so skilfully did the new organizer coordinate the elements that within three months after his appointment the band gave a grand concert in the Sun Hall, Kensington, which is the largest hall in Liverpool. Musical critics admitted that the performance was one of the best band concerts which had ever been given in the hall, and that the disorganized players had been transformed into the finest military band in the whole Liverpool district.

In addition to this, Mr. Johnson was instructor and conductor of the Southport Orchestral Society, the Great Crosby Orchestral Band, and the famous Seaforth Amateur Orchestral Society, which, with the exception of four members, he formed entirely of beginners. To-day the instrumentation is complete in every detail, and the band has no equal outside of London. The people who mention string quartets nowadays are few, but Mr. Johnson is now the number, although unfortunately his instrument suffered a slight mishap in carriage across the country. He plays a great number of instruments and carries with him a complete set of musical instruments valued at \$2,500, as well as a collection of music comprised of seventy-eight complete orchestral compositions; it is his intention to form a grand amateur orchestra, and also to hold classes for special instruction for beginners in the hope that one day in the near future, Victoria will take place in the very front rank of musical cities in respect to orchestral and band music.

If encouraged by the city authorities he would be prepared to form a first-class military or orchestral band which might be self-supporting provided the scheme for winter gardens is realized.

BREAKING IT GENTLY.

Mrs. Bukkitt—Gude mornin', Mrs. Flintie Peelin' well to-day? Mrs. Flintie—Yes, very well, thanks. Mrs. Bukkitt—And strong? Mrs. Flintie—Oh, yes, Mrs. Bukkitt, quite strong. Mrs. Bukkitt—Then perhaps you'd be able to bring back the tea washings you borrowed last week.—London Opinion.

Corporation of the District of Oak Bay.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay, that I require the presence of the said Electors at the Municipal Hall, Oak Bay Avenue, on the 13th day of January, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Reeve and Councillors.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows:—
The candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of this notice and 2 p.m. of the day of the nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on the 19th day of January, 1913, at the School House, Oak Bay Avenue, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

THE QUALIFICATION FOR REEVE shall be his being a male British subject and having been for the three months next preceding the day of his nomination the registered owner, in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property situated within the Municipality of the assessed value, on the last Municipal or Provincial Assessment Roll, of five hundred dollars or more, and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise duly qualified as a voter.

THE QUALIFICATION FOR COUNCILLOR shall be his being a male British subject and having been for the three months next preceding the day of his nomination the registered owner, in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property situated within the Municipality of the assessed value, on the last Municipal or Provincial Assessment Roll, of two hundred and fifty dollars or more, and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise duly qualified as a voter.

THE QUALIFICATION FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE shall be his being a male British subject and having been for the three months next preceding the day of his nomination the registered owner, in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property situated within the Municipality of the assessed value, on the last Municipal or Provincial Assessment Roll, of five hundred dollars or more, and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise duly qualified as a voter.

Given under my hand at Oak Bay, B.C., the 5th day of January, 1913.

HENRY F. PULLEN.

Returning Officer.

A BY-LAW

For Raising Money for Permanently Improving Certain Roads Within the Municipality of Saanich.

WHEREAS, the Municipal Council of the Municipality of Saanich have been authorized by the owners of more than one-fourth of the value of land within the Municipality to introduce and pass a By-law for improving the trunk roads within the Municipality by laying permanent pavements thereon, the same to cost not less than the sum of \$50,000.00;

AND WHEREAS, pursuant to said petition, the Municipal Council are desirous of having a By-law passed, complying with the request therein contained;

AND WHEREAS, the whole rateable land or improvements or real property of the Municipality of Saanich, according to the last revised Assessment Roll for the year 1912, was \$9,150,000.00;

AND WHEREAS, the total amount required to be raised annually by rate for paying the debt which will be created hereunder and the interest thereon, and for creating an annual sinking fund for the payment off of the said debt within twenty years, according to law, is \$28,500.00;

AND WHEREAS, it will require an annual rate of 2 1/2 mills on the dollar for paying the new debt and interest;

AND WHEREAS, this By-law may not be altered or repealed except with the consent of the Electors of the District of Saanich;

AND WHEREAS, the aggregate of such debt intended to be created does not exceed twenty per cent. (20 p.c.) of the assessed value of the land and improvements or the real property of the Municipality, according to the last revised Assessment Roll;

AND WHEREAS, the amount of the debt intended to be hereby created is \$50,000.00, the money to be so raised to be spent on the main trunk roads in the Municipality, beginning at East Saanich road, Cedar Hill road, Burnside road, Carey road, George road, North Quadra street and Mount Tolemie road;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Corporation of the District of Saanich:

1. That the sum of \$50,000.00 be raised on the credit of the Municipality for the purpose of laying down permanent pavements on so much of the following roads as the same will permit, viz.: East Saanich road, Cedar Hill road, Burnside road, Carey road, George road, North Quadra street and Mount Tolemie road.

2. That the whole of the debt and all the obligations to be incurred hereunder shall be payable on the 31st day of December, 1913.

3. That the sum of \$15,000.00 is to be raised annually for the payment of interest on the debt to be incurred hereunder, the sum of \$5,000.00 is to be raised annually for the payment of the debt, said sum being authorized at a rate not exceeding four per cent. (4 p.c.) per annum to be levied on all rateable land and improvements or real property in the Municipality of Saanich during the continuance of the said debt or any of them.

4. It shall be lawful for the Corporation of the District of Saanich to borrow on the credit of the Municipality by way of debentures, notes, bonds, or otherwise, or by any other mode, a sum of money not exceeding \$50,000.00 and to cause all such sums so raised and levied to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the Corporation of the District of Saanich for the purpose of paying the interest and principal of the said debt or any of them.

5. It shall be lawful for the Corporation of the District of Saanich to cause any number of the debentures to be called "Head Improvement Debentures" and to be made, executed and issued for such sum of money, not exceeding, however,

\$100,000.00, and each of the debentures to be payable in two years from the day of the date of such place in the City of Victoria as may be designated thereon, but it shall be lawful for the Reeve and Council to cause the said debentures and interest coupons, other than the debentures, to be placed either in the Dominion of Canada, Great Britain or the United States of America as may be desired.

6. The amount so assessed and levied for each year shall be paid as to the first year's payment on or before the 31st day of December, 1913, and as to such subsequent payments, on or before the 31st day of December, in each year during which the said debentures have to run.

7. It shall be lawful for the Reeve and Council of the said Corporation to dispose of the said debentures at a rate below par, and to authorize the Treasurer to pay out of the sum so raised by the sale of the said debentures all expenses connected with the preparation and engraving or lithographing of the debentures and coupons or any discount or commission, or other charge incidental to the sale of the said debentures.

8. If deemed advisable by the Reeve and Council there shall, in the said debentures, be reserved to the Corporation the right to call for the redemption of the debentures before the date specified in the debentures, and in each debenture issued hereunder a clause conditional for such substitution may be inserted.

9. This By-law shall, before the first meeting of the Council, receive the assent of the Electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for in the Municipal Act.

This By-law shall be read at the "Public Notice" of the Municipality Council the 4th day of January, 1913.

Passed the Municipality Council the 4th day of January, 1913.

WHERE THERE'S A WILL —
Sue (in the street) Does my father still want you?
He (sitting behind her)—Oh, no, madam. I've cut it off.—London Opinion.

A Goshford policeman who put some sticks into his garden as clothes props has been surprised, like Robinson Crusoe, by one of them growing into a tree.

Saanich Municipality

Meetings will be held as under for explanation of the Road By-law, at 8 p.m.:

Friday, January 10th, Cedar Hill Hall.

Tuesday, January 14th, Royal Oak Hall.

Wednesday, January 15th, Colquitz Hall.

Thursday, January 16th, Gordon Head Hall.

Friday, January 17th, Boleskine Road Hall.

Candidates for municipal election will also attend.

Corporation of the District of Oak Bay.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay, that I require the presence of the said Electors at the Municipal Hall, Oak Bay Avenue, on the 13th day of January, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Reeve and Councillors.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows:—
The candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of this notice and 2 p.m. of the day of the nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on the 19th day of January, 1913, at the School House, Oak Bay Avenue, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

THE QUALIFICATION FOR REEVE shall be his being a male British subject and having been for the three months next preceding the day of his nomination the registered owner, in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property situated within the Municipality of the assessed value, on the last Municipal or Provincial Assessment Roll, of five hundred dollars or more, and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise duly qualified as a voter.

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NEWS OF PROVINCIAL TOWNS

COQUITLAM

The building activity which has often been prophesied as certain to begin in Coquitlam in the spring is already showing signs of materializing. The Coquitlam Terminal Company's endeavor to create a quarter million mortgage fund has brought many letters to the company, which indicate that such a fund is much needed in Coquitlam. Many property owners state that if able to secure loans in this way they will immediately begin improvements on the property.

Two English capitalists are now figuring on erecting an apartment block with stores underneath. Plans are now being prepared for this building, which will be the largest in Coquitlam. The cost will be around \$40,000, and the location in the First Division, on the south side of the C. P. R. tracks. It is fully expected that work will be begun early in the spring.

The C. P. R. has now cleared a 20-foot strip of land from the head of Broadway to the Yardmaster's office at the hump, and a four-foot sidewalk is now being constructed there by the Coquitlam Constructing Company. This will give easy access for the trainmen from their headquarters at the yard office to the north end of the First Division and St. Mary's Heights, where many of the men are arranging to reside and where Mr. Harry Betts, the Terminal Co. and others are now engaged in providing some thirty or forty residences.

NELSON

John A. Irving, the well-known Nelson merchant, is a candidate for mayor at the civic elections on January 18, and there are now three in the field for the chief magistracy. Ald. Herbert Keefe and Paul Nipou are the others.

Mr. Irving was unanimously selected by the committee appointed at the recent meeting in Eagle hall, which was called as a result of the campaign of the Ministerial Association, and accepted the nomination.

A strong slate of four aldermen in support of Mr. Irving will be nominated. Mr. Irving has been a resident of Nelson for fifteen years and has sat on the city council as alderman for five years on various occasions. He was a police commissioner for one year and is an ex-president of the Nelson Conservative Association. He is on the council of the Board of Trade and is an active member of that organization.

HUNTINGDON

It is expected that the new Presbyterian church for Huntingdon will be started early in the spring as soon as the weather will permit. The contract has been let and the work of making the cement blocks is now being done by Harris & Harris, who have the contract. The new building will be made of the cement blocks throughout, and will be 26x40, with a 14-foot ceiling. There will be in the neighborhood of some 2,000 blocks, and when completed it will be one of the handsomest structures of its kind in the valley.

The Huntingdon school has outgrown its usefulness so far as its being able to accommodate the pupils of school age of the district. A new two-roomed school will be erected at an early date, and in the meantime a second room will be started in a suitable building now being arranged. The teacher has been engaged and will take up her duties at the beginning of the year.

PRINCE RUPERT

Undaunted by the disaster which overtook them on New Year's morning when their gymnasium was wrecked by the gale, the Men's Own Association has decided to replace the institution even better than it was before. Whereas the wrecked building was only 24 feet by 48 feet, the new one which they propose erecting will be 36x60 and better equipped will be installed. To accomplish their plans a considerable sum of money is required and canvassers are already at work soliciting subscriptions. The association has launched a campaign for the raising of \$1,000, the amount considered necessary to carry out their plans.

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ABBOTSFORD

A fire, the origin of which is unknown, starting in the Gayley block, wiped out a section of the business district of Abbotsford early on Saturday morning, the 4th, resulting in a loss estimated at \$20,000. Buildings occupied by Hope Arlanson, hardware store; F. Brooks, general store, above which is the Maple Leaf Hall; Whalen's restaurant, the telephone exchange, the real estate office of J. W. McCallum, which is a large two-story building, were all razed to the ground.

Not only were the bucket brigade fire-fighters handicapped by lack of a water supply, but a strong north-east wind made it extremely difficult to prevent the sparks igniting the frame structures which surrounded them. With the greatest effort the Commercial Hotel across the street, a number of frame houses in the rear of the fire, and the Royal Bank of Canada building, which adjoined them, were saved after the sides of the structures had been badly blistered with the heat.

Of the loss of approximately \$20,000, it is believed that the insurance carried on all of the stock and the buildings will not amount to over \$10,000, the remainder of the heavy loss being borne by the merchants and the owners of the buildings.

The losses were: Mr. H. Gayley, \$2,000 on building and furniture; \$1,000 insurance. Mr. H. Arlanson, hardware store, \$5,000; \$2,000 insurance. Whalen, restaurant, \$500; no insurance. Mr. Brooks, merchant, stock has been estimated at \$10,000 (unconfirmed), insurance not known. B. C. Telephone Company, loss estimated at \$4,000; insurance not known. J. W. McCallum, real estate office.

GREENWOOD

The annual meeting of the Rock Creek Farmers' Institute, for the election of officers, was held at Larsen's Hall, on January 4. Major Glosop was elected president, H. W. Farmer, vice-president, and A. D. McEwen, secretary-treasurer. A vote of thanks was passed to the retiring secretary-treasurer, Mr. Pearson, for the efficient and painstaking way he had done the work of the Institute.

A suggestion was brought forward, that the neighboring institutes of Greenwood, Grand Forks, and Glenora, should send reports of their meetings to the local papers, especially those dealing with resolutions, to be sent to the Central Institute at Victoria. This would enable the delegates to support each other, on any subject brought forward that would help the Kettle Valley district.

SOUTH HAZELTON

A number of new buildings are in course of erection at South Hazelton and business is on the increase. The additional clearing and grading of streets in the business center is adding greatly to the attractiveness of the site, which impresses visitors as an admirable location. The clearing contract is expected to have their present undertaking finished in course of three weeks. A second telephone line is being run between the present town and the new town. The establishment of a first-class hotel is the next item on the programme for the new town. It is expected to be in running order within two months.

VERNON

Vernon Lodge 1230, Loyal Order of Moose, has been instituted. The institution was by Director J. C. Monahan, assisted by D. B. Johnston and Bro. Foster, of Kamloops 1045 L. O. M. A class of nearly 100 were obligated and instructed in the mysteries of Moosehood. After the initiation the following officers were instituted:

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V. Dictator—M. Eastman.
Prelate—W. Higgins.
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Sec'y—R. A. Denton.
Serg.-at-Arms—J. F. Phillips.
I. Guard—E. R. Young.
O. Guard—K. Wood.
Fiancées—A. Austin, A. C. Lane, F. Muller.

A BLACK EYE.

A badgering lawyer was examining a doctor in an assault case. The solicitor represented the defence, and the doctor testified that he treated the prosecutor for a black eye. "What do you mean by a black eye?" asked the legal gentleman. "I mean," said the doctor without a smile, "that the prosecutor had received a severe contusion over the lower portion of the frontal bone, producing extensive edema around the eye, together with considerable infiltration of the subcutaneous areolar tissue." The medical witness was relieved from further cross-examination.

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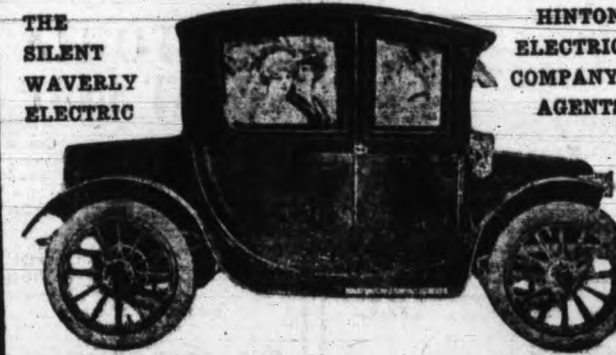
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Those born to-day will be generous, brilliant, and attractive, and will gain prestige and money easily. They should learn early the correct values of deeds and words, lest their heads become turned and they become self-conceited and uninteresting.

TO-DAY IN CANADIAN HISTORY

January 13.

Upon this date, 13 years ago, during the Boer War, the Imperial government accepted Lord Strathcona's offer to equip and land at Cape Town 500 "rough-riders" from the Canadian Northwest. The enrolment of the force was managed by the Minister of Militia, subject to Lord Strathcona's approval. No limit was placed on the amount of money to be expended, and the corps, says Sir Sandford Fleming in his book on "The Canadian Contingents," "was the best equipped of all that left Canada. It was composed of men of the regulation age and size, good riders and shot, who were enrolled at twenty-three different points between Winnipeg and Vancouver. Some were members of the Permanent Force and of the "Mounted Police." Eight officers were from the staff of the latter force, the chief command being given to Inspector (Lieutenant-Colonel) S. B. Steele, an ideal scout and master of scouts. His first taste of warfare was gained in the Fenian raid of 1866, and he had belonged to the N. W. Mounted Police force since its origin. Under his leadership "Strathcona's Horse" took part with credit in several engagements, and joined in the long chase of De Wet, after his defeat at Fredericksdorp.

BIRTHDAY CONGRATULATIONS

January 12.

Adam, John George, F. R. S., M. D., LL. D. (Montreal); born Manchester, Eng., 1822; a distinguished pathologist; now professor of pathology at McGill University.

Anderson, William Joseph (Montreal); born Sorel, 1843; manager of branches of Bank of Montreal for many years; now retired.

Elton, David Horton (Lethbridge, Alberta); born Worcester, Eng., 1877; journalist and social reformer.

Henderson, V. A. (Winnipeg); born Garafaxa, Ont., 1842; a pioneer accountant in Manitoba; secretary of the Chartered Accountants' Association of Manitoba.

Kelley, Howard G. (Montreal); born Philadelphia, 1858; entered railway work, 1881, and after service with several roads in the United States, joined the Grand Trunk as chief engineer in 1907; now vice-president in charge of operation and maintenance.

Lacrosse, Hon. Sir Alexandre, LL. D., D. C. L., K. C., P. C. (Montreal); born Boucherville, Que., 1842; member of Quebec Legislative Council, 1882-1884; senator, 1894-1901; Speaker of the Senate, 1891-1894; Chief Justice of the Court of Appeal of Quebec, 1891-1907.

Lee, Rev. William Dickson (Waterloo, Ont.); born Belfast, Ire., 1866; Presbyterian pastor at Waterloo since 1906.

Morrison, Alexander, M. P. (Home-wood, Man.); born Grenville county, Ont., 1851; farmer; Conservative M. P. for Macdonald.

Petit, Honore, M. P. P. (Ste. Anne de Chicoutimi, Que.); born Cap Sante, Portneuf, 1848; Conservative M. P. P. for Chicoutimi since 1892.

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Under the patronage of His Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Paterson, and Sir Richard and Lady McBride, the annual ball given by the Knights of Columbus, will be held on Wednesday, January 29, at the Alexandra Club. Music will be furnished by an orchestra of ten pieces under the leadership of Bantley and Nagel. Mr. Nagel being released from his engagement at the Balmoral for the occasion through the courtesy of Mr. Lins. A sit-down supper will be served by Mrs. Jenner, both the tea room and cafe being utilized for this purpose, and the usual good time is assured for all.

OUR LETTER BOX

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Letters for publication in Daily Times must be received before 10 a.m. When received after that hour they will go over until next day.

While unobjectionable anonymous communications will be published, the name and address of every writer of such letters must be given to the editor.

V. & S. RAILWAY—A CORRECTION.

To the Editor: On Saturday I handed you an article on the V. & S. railway situation. My informant evidently made an error in the figures, as on calling on Mr. Raymur this morning I find that the city and government jointly guaranteed the bonds of the V. & S. railway for 25 years instead of 20 years, as I stated. This will make a difference in the amount paid by the city to date of \$45,000. Where I state in my article that the city has paid to date \$135,000 it should read \$180,000. For the 25-year period the city and government will have paid \$375,000 in interest instead of \$300,000. I am extremely sorry this mistake occurred and trust you may be able to rectify it.

BERT D. WHITE.

VICTORIA'S FINANCES.

To the Editor:—It is truly amazing to contemplate the credulity of the editor of the Colonist. Without any reference to his files, which would have shown differently, and on the mayor's statement to the Board of Trade only, the paper states that it will not take eleven million dollars to square the indebtedness of the city. That is, perhaps, the difference between the Colonist and myself. I believe what the Colonist news columns say. The Colonist evidently does not. Here are the figures: On November 30, 1912, the overdraft of the city at the bank, excluding sinking funds, which ought not to be considered, was nearer two million dollars than any other round figure. The treasury bills were £617,000 sterling, or, roughly, \$3,000,000. The Colonist says editorially it will take \$3,000,000 for Sooke Lake, that means another \$1,750,000 to borrow. The city owes the paving companies about \$500,000. There is a hospital loan of \$225,000 to provide. The city engineer reported on the 9th of December, 1912, \$1,689,657 as the estimate of works gone over to next year, such as the completion of Douglas, Bay, Fort, Pandora, Fairfield, and fifty-nine streets where the underground work is complete and no contracts let. The underground is in the overdraft but the contracts are not yet financed for. The city is asked to pass now \$85,000 parks, \$125,000 split water, \$30,000 police, \$700,000 sewers, \$50,000 water, \$250,000 schools, a total of one million three hundred and thirty thousand dollars or a grand total of indebtedness in large sums, excluding all the small stuff, of ten million four hundred and ninety-four thousand dollars.

Now these figures are not strictly accurate, of course. I have not access to the official files, but I dare the mayor or the Colonist to publish the exact figures of present floating indebtedness and actual commitments for the year of 1913 over the signature of the comptroller, and the result will be a sum over the eleven-million mark, if the Colonist is correct about Sooke Lake.

Besides the city wants both the Johnson street bridge and the Laurel Point bridge, and will doubtless pay its share. Now had not the Colonist better apologize to the people and to the Board of Trade, respectively, and instead of shouting libel and calling names, point with pride to the fact that even this large sum only represents the capital expenditure necessary to make Victoria a bigger, better city, and use its influence to see a council elected in whose hands this large sum to which the city stands committed, and represented by all the by-laws which are coming up now, and which ought to pass, will be first raised with as little discount as possible, and then expended with economy, efficiency and despatch. And if it can do this, with our present capability and future prospects, Victoria need not fear even another eleven millions, and then some.

F. A. McDIARMID.

MAN DROPPED DEAD IN STREET CAR SEAT

T. M. Collier Had Wife and Family in Old Country—Died of Heart Trouble

A sudden attack of heart trouble as he was on his way to work in a street car at 8 o'clock this morning resulted fatally for Thomas Michael Collier, a bookbinder employed at the establishment of Sweeney & McConnell in Langley street.

Mr. Collier was sitting in his seat in the car, apparently well, when he was seen to drop his head back and become limp. The car was at the corner of Cormorant street and Douglas street at the moment, and Conductor Steenson ran into the police station to procure the ambulance, which conveyed the man to Dr. Barty's office.

After an examination Dr. Barty pronounced the man dead from heart trouble and had him removed to the Victoria Undertaking parlors.

Mr. Collier had been in Victoria two years. He was an Englishman about 50 years of age and was understood to have a wife and family in the Old Country. He was rooming on Simcoe street until Saturday, when he moved to Spring Ridge. He was a short, stout man and had been enjoying good health up to the moment of his death.

TWO MEETINGS ARE SET FOR TO-NIGHT

Last Week of Campaign is Entered—Mayor Has Meeting at Theatre on Wednesday

The ex-mayor and alternate candidate in the Labor interest will address meetings this evening. The mayor will be engaged at a council meeting so he will give his voice some rest. The ex-mayor is at the North Ward meeting, while the labor candidates are at the George Jay school.

To-morrow Mayor Beckwith will be at the George Jay school and the ex-mayor at South Park school, where his opponent spoke on Friday evening.

The mayor, in accordance with his promise of Thursday, contemplates holding a meeting at the Victoria theatre on the eve of the poll, Wednesday night. Interest to-day in the election centred on the civic nominations.

CURIOUS IGNORANCE IS AGAIN DISPLAYED

Person Trying to Post Letter Turns in Fire Alarm—Then Departs Hastily

Yet another false alarm, caused through some person's having attempted to post a letter in the fire alarm box at the corner of Vancouver street and Burdette avenue, called the fire department out yesterday shortly before 5 o'clock.

In the last display of this remarkable ignorance the offender remained at the box until the department arrived with the apparatus, and was subsequently ordered at the police court to pay the cost of repairing a wheel dislodged in the run to the fire call. Probably owing to the publicity given to that case at the time, the person responsible yesterday did not wait after he realized what he had done, and so the department cannot bring it home. The minimum fine which can be imposed under the city by-laws is \$100 for this offence.

SPORTING NEWS

BOWLING SCHEDULE

Following is the schedule of the City Bowling League:

Jan. 14—Victoria Hockey Club vs. Mitchell Innis.
Jan. 15—Hinton Electric vs. Canadian Puget Sound.
Jan. 16—Telephone vs. Syndicated Properties, Victoria Hockey Club vs. Canadian Puget Sound.
Jan. 21—Syndicated Properties vs. Hinton Electric.
Jan. 22—Telephone vs. Canadian Puget Sound.
Jan. 23—Canadian Puget Sound vs. Hinton Electric.
Jan. 24—Victoria Hockey Club vs. Telephone.
Feb. 1—Canadian Puget Sound vs. Syndicated Properties, Hinton Electric vs. Mitchell Innis.
Feb. 4—Mitchell Innis vs. Hinton Electric.
Feb. 6—Telephone vs. Hinton Electric, Mitchell Innis vs. Victoria Hockey Club.
Feb. 8—Hinton Electric vs. Victoria Hockey Club, Syndicated Properties vs. Canadian Puget Sound.
Feb. 11—Syndicated Properties vs. Mitchell Innis.
Feb. 13—Canadian Puget Sound vs. Telephone.
Feb. 15—Victoria Hockey Club vs. Hinton Electric, Syndicated Properties vs. Telephone.
Feb. 18—Mitchell Innis vs. Canadian Puget Sound.
Feb. 20—Telephone vs. Mitchell Innis, Canadian Puget Sound vs. Victoria Hockey Club.
Feb. 22—Hinton Electric vs. Syndicated Properties.
Feb. 25—Mitchell Innis vs. Syndicated Properties.
Feb. 27—Telephone vs. Victoria Hockey Club.
March 4—Syndicated Properties vs. Victoria Hockey Club, Hinton Electric vs. Telephone.
March 6—Canadian Puget Sound vs. Mitchell Innis.
March 8—Victoria Hockey Club vs. Syndicated Properties, Mitchell Innis vs. Telephone.

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The property to be developed thus is a natural playground with more native charms than any beach resort property now popular. Its beaches extend, with a few interruptions, for a distance of some nine miles along the open seafloor, with the giant combbers of the restless Pacific rolling in over the shallow bottom. The beaches are wide and hard, offering delightful space for rest and play. The bathing is in itself a great attraction. There are several natural sulphur springs on the property, and these will be fully utilized. The fine sand beaches merge into delightful woodland, offering splendid building sites with ample shelter and deep, rich soil. The scenery is varied and superb. There are numerous streams and lakes at hand, offering endless recreation and rare sport. The shooting and fishing cannot be surpassed anywhere in Canada. The climate is all that could be required, the summer average temperature being from 59 to 70 degree Fahrenheit, and the rainfall not excessive. Mosquitoes and such pests are unknown.

PARTY TO VISIT PROPERTY

A party of as many well known and influential men as can spare the time is being got together to visit the property as guests of the company. Negotiations are under way with the Canadian Pacific Railway Steamship Co. for the chartering of the Princess May for the trip, which will not occupy more than a day or, possibly, two.

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THE WORD "LEGION"

"Legion" was originally a word with a definite meaning. It meant approximately the same as our word "brigade," meaning a Roman regiment of 6,000 men or less. In the course of time it has become a figure of speech, intended to express the presence of a large number of persons. Perhaps "brigade" or "corps" will be similarly corrupted a thousand years from now.

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Contingent Account
\$1,000,000.

The Alvensleben Daily Gazette

Monday Evening, January 13, 1913

A comparison of the building returns for the past three years is not only interesting but instructive.

In the year 1910, the figures were \$2,273,045. In the following year \$4,026,315, but during the past twelve months the figures have more than doubled and have reached a total of \$8,182,155.

Could anything speak more convincingly of the progress of the city? Is anything further needed to convince our friends back East that Victoria is worthy of her proud position as Capital

of this great Province? Is anything further needed to convince investors of the soundness of property values or the opportunities for profitable investment existing in this city to-day?

The world's wealthiest men owe their riches to the growth of cities such as this, and it is no wonder that their early investments were all placed in real estate.

Such properties as we mention to-day afford the same openings for profitable investment as existed in New York in the early days.

MOSS STREET

50x120; close to sea. Price\$2300

WELLINGTON STREET

50x116; second lot from Dallas Road. Price.....\$2700

CRAIG DARROCH

50x120, facing south, close to the Castle. Price.....\$3500

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60x120 to lane, Oak Bay section. Price\$1550

CADBORO BAY ROAD

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UNCHANGED MARKET FOR WINNIPEG WHEAT

Fair Cash Demand With Moderate Offerings Only During Peace Negotiations

Winnipeg, Jan. 12.—The market here opened unchanged and was steady throughout the greater part of the morning with a strong undertone which led to an advance at the close. There is a fair cash demand with offerings moderate. Holders are not keen to sell until the European situation assumes a more settled aspect.

Colder weather had greatly reduced receipts, which were for Saturday and Sunday 286 cars inspected and 500 in sight. Cables closed: Liverpool, 1 lower; Paris, 1 to 1 up; Berlin, 1 up; Budapest, 1 lower; and Antwerp, unchanged.

A dispatch to the grain exchange from the Marine and Fisheries is to the effect that ice breaking at Port William will be continued to night of January 15.

Wheat—Open Close
May 88 1/2 89
July 89 1/2 90
Oats—
May 35 1/2 36
July 36 1/2 37

Flax—
Jan. 105 106
May 111 112

Cash prices: Wheat—1 No. 1, 2 No. 2, 3 No. 3, 4 No. 4, 5 No. 5, 6 No. 6, 7 No. 7, 8 No. 8, 9 No. 9, 10 No. 10, 11 No. 11, 12 No. 12, 13 No. 13, 14 No. 14, 15 No. 15, 16 No. 16, 17 No. 17, 18 No. 18, 19 No. 19, 20 No. 20, 21 No. 21, 22 No. 22, 23 No. 23, 24 No. 24, 25 No. 25, 26 No. 26, 27 No. 27, 28 No. 28, 29 No. 29, 30 No. 30, 31 No. 31, 32 No. 32, 33 No. 33, 34 No. 34, 35 No. 35, 36 No. 36, 37 No. 37, 38 No. 38, 39 No. 39, 40 No. 40, 41 No. 41, 42 No. 42, 43 No. 43, 44 No. 44, 45 No. 45, 46 No. 46, 47 No. 47, 48 No. 48, 49 No. 49, 50 No. 50, 51 No. 51, 52 No. 52, 53 No. 53, 54 No. 54, 55 No. 55, 56 No. 56, 57 No. 57, 58 No. 58, 59 No. 59, 60 No. 60, 61 No. 61, 62 No. 62, 63 No. 63, 64 No. 64, 65 No. 65, 66 No. 66, 67 No. 67, 68 No. 68, 69 No. 69, 70 No. 70, 71 No. 71, 72 No. 72, 73 No. 73, 74 No. 74, 75 No. 75, 76 No. 76, 77 No. 77, 78 No. 78, 79 No. 79, 80 No. 80, 81 No. 81, 82 No. 82, 83 No. 83, 84 No. 84, 85 No. 85, 86 No. 86, 87 No. 87, 88 No. 88, 89 No. 89, 90 No. 90, 91 No. 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AN 8 ROOMED HOUSE, nearly new, overlooking Swan Lake, for immediate sale \$1,500. Trevor Fogle, 711 Main Street, Phone 122.

NEW 6 ROOMED HOUSE and new furniture, modern in every detail, telephone, built for \$1,000, only \$750. Call 112 Pender Street, Phone 122.

ROOM, new, modern, California bungalow, fireplace, beam ceiling, polished floor, electric light fixtures, shades for windows, price \$1,000, only \$750. Call 112 Pender Street, Phone 122.

HOME TALK—The residence we advertised yesterday at \$2,500 has been cut in price to \$1,750. See 112 Pender Street, Phone 122.

HOMESITE—A 1/2 acre 5 roomed, modern bungalow, full cement basement, built for \$1,000, only \$750. Call 112 Pender Street, Phone 122.

YOU'RE BE SATISFIED if you buy from us. We have a new 5 roomed house, on large lot, full basement, every modern convenience, 3 miles from city. Half price \$2,500, easy terms. Box 304, Times.

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BEAUTIFUL HOMES

LINDEN AVE.—10 roomed residence, on high ground, everything up to the minute. \$15,000.
 SPRINGFIELD ST.—3 roomed residence, garage, etc. \$12,500.
 ASH ST.—New 8 roomed residence, on car line. \$12,500.
 NIAGARA ST.—7 rooms, on car line. \$12,500.
 PEMBROKE ST.—7 rooms, mod. \$12,500.
 INGLETON ST.—4 roomed residence, modern. \$12,500.
 HILLSIDE AVE.—Fine residence, near Quadra. \$12,500.
 CRESCENT ROAD—7 rooms, lovely view, 1 acre ground. \$12,500.
 FERNWOOD ROAD—6 rooms, fully modern. \$12,500.
 BAY ST.—6 rooms, lot 5x121. \$12,500.
 CAMOSUN ST.—8 rooms, modern. \$12,500.
 CALEDONIA AVE.—Near Quadra, 9 rooms, with stable, shed, etc. \$12,500.
 POINT ST.—5 roomed residence, modern. \$12,500.
 MCKENZIE STREET—7 roomed residence, modern. \$12,500.
 LEONARD ST.—7 roomed residence. \$12,500.
 CHAPMAN ST.—5 rooms, lot 25x121, only. \$12,500.
 COOK ST.—6 rooms, on corner. \$12,500.
 DAVIDA ST.—4 rooms, mod. \$12,500.
 DOUGLAS ST.—40 feet, with fine residence. \$12,500.
 ST. ANNE ST.—A well, new 5 roomed residence, beautiful view, hot water heating. \$12,500.

Stinson Real Estate Company

Rooms 214 and 215 Sayward Block.

REAL ESTATE.

HOME SPECIAL—A 6 roomed, new residence, near Faithful street, (Fairfield Estate), with full cement basement, furnace, 2 toilets and the furniture, including 2 brass beds, carpets, rugs, Monarch range, electric fittings and curtains, etc., all for \$7,200; \$2,000 cash and mortgage arranged with owner. Good for the week. Stinson Real Estate Co., Sayward Block. \$12,500.

LOT 6x106, close to Fort street car line; price for a few days \$1,150. This would be good for 2 small cottages. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Block. \$12,500.

SPECIAL—Cookman street, a nice, clean, building lot, price \$1,400, usual terms can be arranged for. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Block. \$12,500.

CHEAPEST AVAILABLE—In Pinewood. This is a good building's proposition. Price for one week only \$1,400; 1-3 cash, balance 6-12 and 18. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Block. \$12,500.

HOLLYWOOD PARK—The cheapest in this district and vicinity; all surrounding streets are paved and boulevard; very close to sea and car, price \$1,900, 1-3 cash. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Block. \$12,500.

WHY PAY BIG PRICES when you can get two lots, 25x120 each, for \$1,800, 1-3 cash, near the Uplands? G. S. Leighton, Mahon Block. \$12,500.

DOUBLE CORNER—On Foul Bay road, this is the best buy on the market; price \$2,400, with less than 1-3 cash. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Block. \$12,500.

MADISON STREET—Richmond Park, lot 50x123 to a lane, only \$1,325; 1-3 cash, balance arranged. This is the best buy in Richmond Park and vicinity. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Block. \$12,500.

CLOSE TO CAR—A 4 roomed house, price only \$2,400 with only \$500 cash. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Block. \$12,500.

PEMBROKE STREET—A nice little 5 roomed bungalow, price \$2,500, unfurnished, or \$1,000 furnished; \$500 cash, balance as rent. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Block. \$12,500.

CAR LINE—Running past the door of this house, we have for sale for an indefinite period; it has 4 rooms, with all modern conveniences; price \$2,250, with \$500 cash, balance as rent. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Block. \$12,500.

RICHMOND AVE.—Just below Rockland avenue, nice lot with lane at rear; price \$1,700. This is a snap for someone. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Block. \$12,500.

OLIVE DRIVE—In this drive we have a lot, size 65x100; price \$1,800; all others \$1,900; 1-3 cash. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Block. \$12,500.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

BOY WANTED—Good wages. V. I. Cigar Co., 313 Oriental Alley. \$12,500.

WANTED—Smart boy, with wheel. Hal-Hay, Clyde & Co. \$12,500.

IF YOU ARE A MAN of reasonable ability, with good references, call and see us at our office, where previous experience of trust, where previous experience would not be required. Apply 539 to 12, 204 Jones Building, and ask for Mr. Staples. \$12,500.

TWO FRONT ROOMS to let, unfurnished. Apply 630 Dunedin street, off Douglas street. \$12,500.

C. C. POULTRY SHOW—Entries for the B. C. poultry show close Jan. 14. H. D. Reid, secretary, 723 View street. \$12,500.

WANTED—Lady canvassers, salary or commission; experience not essential. Call 10-12 and 4-5, Room 14, Green Block. \$12,500.

WANTED—Salesmen, salary or commission; not real estate or insurance. Call 10-12 or 4-5, Room 14, Green Block. \$12,500.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—From Cherry Bank, on Saturday night, Jan. 11th, a thoroughbred St. Bernard, collar engraved "Hero, owned by J. Burt Morgan, Edmonton, Alta." Any person who has or who is found with the dog, same will be prosecuted for theft. J. Burt Morgan, Cherry Bank, or 199 Union Bank Bldg. \$12,500.

FOR RENT—House, 8 rooms, Redwood street, new, electric, modern, lights, 32 month. Apply 1421 Government street. \$12,500.

TWO MODERN, furnished, housekeeping rooms to let. H. Holt, 1260 Broad St. \$12,500.

MAN WANTED to clear some rock off lot. Phone 141. \$12,500.

WANTED—An energetic boy, with "savvy," to work in store. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas street. \$12,500.

WILL SELL A 1912 five-passenger, Buick, or will trade for real estate; any reasonable offer will be considered; car is in perfect shape and has all new tires. Apply P. O. Box 1544. \$12,500.

WANTED—Shoe repairer. Apply P. West, Electrical Shoe Shop, Fort St. \$12,500.

FIRST CLASS GLAZIER wants position. Box 51, Times. \$12,500.

DOUBLE CORNER WANTED to residential district, size at least 100x120; no unreasonable prices entertained. This ad is inserted for a file buyer whose address is Box 59, P. O. \$12,500.

TO RENT—Furnished 5 roomed cottage to rent for six months, close in, very warm and comfortable; possession given very shortly. Apply to Mrs. L. W. Dales, 223 Ross street. \$12,500.

FOR RENT—Partly furnished 7 roomed house, 16 minutes' walk from Post Office. Phone 374. C. F. Campbell. \$12,500.

TO LET—5 roomed house, No. 258 Belmont avenue, at \$25 per month. Union Real Estate Co., Phone 2702. \$12,500.

WANTED—Two good real estate salesmen. Apply Runions Brokerage, Ltd., 217 Central Bldg. \$12,500.

STOLEN—One No. 8 double barrel Remington shotgun, \$25 reward will be given for information leading to its recovery. A. Freeman, 1085 Moss street. Phone 223. \$12,500.

LOST—Lady's gold chain, with charms attached, also red polka brooch. Finder please communicate with S. Reave, 258 Sayward Building. \$12,500.

TO LET—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, 2 in suite, hot and cold water; rent moderate; no dogs. Apply 50 Ontario. \$12,500.

LOST—Dark brindle Aberdeen pup, 4 weeks old, black and white collar, with "B" on it. If found, please return to Y. W. C. A., Courtney street. \$12,500.

WANTED—Position, by all round carpenter. Box 55, Times. \$12,500.

WAVERLY ELECTRIC COUPES for sale or exchange for real estate. Apply Box 11, city. \$12,500.

FAIRFIELD DISTRICT—Wanted, listings of either homes or vacant property in this residential section. We have clients. Island Investment Co., Ltd., Sayward Block. \$12,500.

ABATEMENT PLEA IN

GRAND TRUNK CASES

Counsel Claims Indictments Against Chamberlin, Smithers and Mellen Illegal

New York, Jan. 13.—Counsel for Charles S. Mellen, president of the New Haven railroad, filed a plea of abatement in the United States court to-day, asserting that the recent indictment against Mellen, President E. J. Chamberlin, of the G. T. P., and Alfred W. Smithers, chairman of the G. T. P., were void because one of the grand jurors, Alfred A. Stephens, was a resident of New Jersey.

OREGON WOLF RETAINS TITLE.

Last Year's Winner Easily Takes Victory Over Challenger.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 13.—In the annual mid-winter regatta of the Portland Motorboat Club yesterday, on the Willamette river, the Oregon Wolf, driven by Johnny E. Wolf, successfully defended its freedom against the challengers, the 26-foot Vancouver of Rainier, and the Coast champion 25-footer, the Swastika, of Portland. The Oregon Wolf's time for 20 miles, seven turns, was 28 minutes and 42 seconds, almost the same average of 2.5 miles an hour made when the Wolf shattered the world's thirty-mile record of a year ago. Wolf declares, however, that he could have eclipsed forty-five miles an hour had he been hard pressed.

FIRE DESTROYS CHURCH.

Portage la Prairie, Jan. 13.—All that now remains of St. Cuthbert Catholic church is practically the bare walls. The fire which started after 10 o'clock last night, worked great havoc, and what is not destroyed by the flames was rendered useless by water. This morning the walls are ice-cold, while the second story is without a covering and the stately is crumbling and twisted beyond repair. The loss is said to be \$121,000.

E. P. DAVIS, K. C., HOME.

Vancouver, Jan. 13.—E. P. Davis, K. C., returned last night from a two-months' professional trip to England. During his stay in London Mr. Davis argued two appeal cases, Gordon vs. Horne and B. C. Orchard vs. Kilmer, before the privy council. Judgment was reserved.

Mrs. Davis and her two sons are now in India on a trip around the world.

OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred yesterday morning at the residence of her parents, of Algona, Iowa, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ricketts, Admiral road, Esquimalt. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 from the B. C. Funeral chapel, Rev. Baugh Allen officiating.

The death occurred on Saturday at St. Joseph's hospital of Thomas Mike, at the age of 27. He was a Canadian, who was a native of Austria, was an engineer, and is survived by no known relatives in this country. Funeral arrangements are pending instructions from friends of the deceased in San Francisco.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Marian Truett took place on Saturday afternoon from the B. C. Funeral parlors to Christ Church cathedral, where Rev. W. Barton conducted the services. There was a large attendance of the deceased's friends and a great number of floral tributes. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. J. C. Sullivan, J. J. Clark, H. M. Summers and P. R. Blakely.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Or exchange for real estate, a new six cylinder, 1912 car. Apply Box 11, city. \$12,500.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS—Please take notice that I have withdrawn my James Bay property from the market till further notice. D. E. Kerr, 52 Montreal street. \$12,500.

COMFORTABLE FRONT ROOM for rent, \$1.50 per week each; board if desired, \$6. 1261 Pandora Ave. \$12,500.

FOR SALE—One day mare, 1100 lbs., sound, drives double and single, 4 years old. Apply Joseph Hadfield, Wilkes Park. \$12,500.

WE HAVE A CLIENT who is desirous of purchasing a thoroughly modern and up-to-date home. Empire Realty Company, 64 Fort street. \$12,500.

DON'T THROW your old safety razor blades away. Have them sharpened good as new for 25c. per doz. ordinary razors 50c. and up. Also hollow grind razors, clippers and surgical instruments sharpened. Work guaranteed. Leave orders at Perry's Drug Store, Manitoba Cigar Stand and Imperial Cigar Stand at 121 Government. \$12,500.

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MUNICIPALITIES

NOMINATE TO-DAY

MANY CANDIDATES IN SUBURBAN DISTRICTS

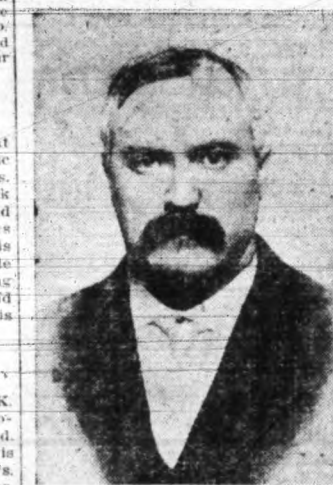
Reeveships of Oak Bay and Esquimalt Contested—Nicholson Re-elected

Nominations for the seats on the municipal councils of Saanich, Esquimalt, and Oak Bay were received to-day by the returning officers, who sat at noon to receive them. There will be opposition for the office of reeve at Oak Bay and Esquimalt, but there is no one forthcoming to oppose Reeve Nicholson at Saanich, after three terms in the chair.

The polling takes place in each case on Saturday next.

LUGRIN' OPPOSED BY SAUNDERS AT ESQUIMALT

Two candidates are in the field for reeve of Esquimalt and there are contests for councillors in Wards I. and II., but in Ward III. the present



REEVE NICHOLSON

Re-elected for fourth term for Saanich district to-day by acclamation.

Incumbents are returned by acclamation. The two school trustees also return without opposition.

REEVE
 Charles Henry Lugrin, Esquimalt road, editor Victoria Colonist; John Russell Saunders, Dunsuir street, real estate agent.

COUNCILLORS

Ward I.—James Henry Mesher, Hospital street, contractor; John C. L. Meyer, Esquimalt road, real estate agent; James Stuart McAdam, Esquimalt road, land inspector.
 Ward II.—George Edward Wilkinson, Fraser street, dairyman; Frederick Guest, Fraser street, contractor; George Frank Matthews, Lamson street, vice-president of E. G. Prior & Co., Ltd.; James Peters, Smith street, retired colonel.
 Ward III.—Robert Allen Anderson, Craigflower road, carriage builder; C. Arthur Rea, Arcadia street, real estate agent.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE

Bert Nantrop, Stanley street, engineer; George Robson, Head street, agent.

THREE WARDS WILL BE CONTESTED AT SAANICH

Nominations were received at Royal Oak municipal hall to fill the seats on the municipal council, and the following were nominated:

REEVE

Joseph Nicholson, re-elected.

COUNCILLORS

Ward I.—Frank Noble Borden, re-elected by acclamation.
 Ward II.—George McGregor, re-elected by acclamation.
 Ward III.—W. E. Hill (retiring), High street, and Sidney Williams, Esquimalt.
 Ward IV.—H. J. Dunn (retiring), and Joseph Freeman.
 Ward V.—W. E. Daly opposes Frederick George Quick (retiring).
 Ward VI.—Frank Verdier, by acclamation.

TRUSTEES (Two to Be Elected)

Percy James, James Owens and Cornelius Pointer.

TWO ENTER THE LISTS FOR REEVE IN OAK BAY

At the Oak Bay hall to-day two nominations were received for the position of reeve of the municipality, eleven for the posts of councillors and three for school trustees. Several new names are noticeable among the lists of candidates for councillors, while the names of the school trustees are well-known architects, in opposition to William Henderson promises to make a campaign for the reeve position, being one. The following is the complete list of nominations received at Oak Bay.

REEVE

William Henderson and Francis M. Ratterbury.

COUNCILLORS

James Brown, Newton T. Burdick,

COBBLE HILL

50 acres in part of section 14, range 7, two and a half miles from station, on good road; small shack and barn; \$1000 cash, balance arranged. Price per acre \$75

J. T. REDDING

822 Catherine St., Victoria West.
 Phones 2206 and L1293.

Block From GORGE ROAD

Two lots on Obed Ave., between Grillon and Donald; quite high and dry, 52x120 each; \$150 below market price. For quick sale present quotation is, each only \$900
 \$300 cash, balance 6, 12, and 18 months.

DOUBLE CORNER, KERR ADDITION

The choicest double corner on the Gorge, situated on the hill immediately opposite the bathing beach and amusement park. City water available; and if taken quickly the price is \$2300.

There is absolutely no other proposition facing the Gorge that can be had, and is good for \$700 profit in the spring.

THE TOMLINSON CO.

Phone 243
 Real Estate Investments and Insurance.
 1106 Douglas St., Victoria, B. C.

Alexander W. Elliott, James Henry Hargreaves, E. Knox Henshall, James Herriek Macgregor, William Noble, Thomas F. R. Oliver, Frederick Bernard Pemberton, Edward C. Rodell and Lewis W. Toms.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES

Thomas Ashe, His Honor Judge Lampman and Herbert F. Lutt.

INTERESTING DISCOVERIES.

Two archaeological discoveries of great interest have recently been made. One was at Ponticelli, in the neighborhood of Herculaneum and Pompeii, and the other at Syracuse. At the first place, a necropolis and several tombs were uncovered at a depth of 20 feet, while work was being done in enlarging the railway station at Ponticelli. The tombs are built of massive stone, and in addition to well preserved skeletons contained gold and silver ornaments, coins, vases and other objects. The value and importance of the find may be realized from the fact that the tombs are beyond the zone which was covered by ashes and lava in the eruption which overwhelmed Pompeii and Herculaneum, and must belong to an unknown and forgotten city. It is plausibly conjectured that the city belonged to the third century, but the exploration is not yet complete.

The second discovery is more important, as it is connected with the early Greek civilization of Sicily. In the primeval square of Syracuse, which is called the Piazza Minerva; from the Greek temple of Minerva of the fifth century B.C., the foundations of a still earlier temple were discovered. Excavation is impossible, as a later temple and other constructions are superimposed above the new discovery. The foundations, however, have been explored by means of deep borings, and colored earthenware and tiles which were characteristic ornamentation of the archaic temples were found. There seems to be no doubt that the temple dates back to the sixth or seventh century before Christ. An imposing construction made of huge blocks of stones, which was evidently intended as a drain for the temple, is being explored. Meanwhile, the temple steps have been partly uncovered, and fragments of marble, from the cornices and polychrome tiles, ivory statuettes, and the remains of seventh century Rhodes pottery have been discovered.

PRIZES FOR SETTLERS.

Canadian Immigrants Encouraged to Indulge in Tree Planting.

Prizes ranging in value from \$50 to \$200 are being offered by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to encourage tree planting by settlers who have bought or leased the company's land. The prizes will be awarded in the autumn of 1914 for plantations set out next spring or later.

The chief points to be considered by the judges will be: Preparation of soil, 30 marks; cultivation and care of trees, 30 marks; growth and appearance of trees at time of judging, 20 marks; and bush fruits, shrubs, and flowers, 10 marks. A free supply of half the trees required and free advice are also offered by the company, while the cost of the trees will be reimbursed for \$5 per 100 or \$15 per 1,000 from the company's chief farm at Strathmore, Alberta.

Most of the prizes are for residents on the irrigation blocks, but eight prizes of \$50 each are reserved for settlers outside the irrigation area, and the highest (\$200) is to be won by the best plantation on any C. P. R. land south of Township 28—that is, on the strip of "Southern Alberta" 160

BAY STREET

WE HAVE HAD A FORECAST OF BIG DEVELOPMENTS TO TAKE PLACE ALONG BAY STREET. THESE PROPERTIES ARE MONEY-MAKERS

BAY—A splendid double corner 100x130 ft., with new, modern 9 room house with furnace installed. Price \$9000.
 BAY—Between Victor and Forbes, 55x120 ft. Price \$1700.
 BAY—West of Fernwood Road, 51x113 ft. Price \$2425.
 BAY—Corner Derby street, 45x115 ft. Price \$2800.
 BAY—Corner McBride, trackage, 140x100 ft. Price \$15,000.
 BAY—Between Shelbourne and Richmond, 50x146 ft. Price \$1450.

We have buyers for acreage on Saanich Peninsula. It will pay you to list with us.

Clarke Realty Co.

Successors to WALLACE & CLARKE.
 721 Yates Street. Phone 471

Dollars Mis-Spent In Advertising

In the choice of uncertified mediums, special editions, flimsy publications and poorly written copy, how much money have you wasted, Mr. Businessman, during the past year?

"I'll never be caught again," says a silver-tongued solicitor, but the silver-tongued solicitor comes along and another piece of the year's appropriation slips away.

LET US HELP YOU

We have data on every publication on the American continent. Let us give you the certified circulation of these propositions. If you don't use our service, all well and good, but as an advertising agency, recognized by the Canadian Press, we believe that we can save you time, money and worry, by advice alone.

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Advertising Service.
 418-419-420 Central Building.
 Phone 3223.

Ward Investment Co., Limited

THE BEST HOME BUILDERS
 301, 303 and 312 Jones Bldg.
 Phone 514. Fort Street.

Have the following splendid houses ready for occupation. Terms will be arranged to suit the purchaser. You are invited to inspect each:

McClure St., 10 rooms, garage, etc. \$12,000
 Linden Ave., 10 rooms, bungalow \$8,500
 Mackenzie St., 7 rooms, furnished \$6,750
 Oscar St., 6 rooms \$5,000

A MOTHERLY BULLDOG.

A novel sight is to be seen at the Sergeant Arms at Hayward's Heath. The landlord, George W. Preece, has a prize bulldog, Hampton, Billy, weighing 75 pounds, and for some weeks he has been "mothering" some chicks and a kitten. All of them sleep with him in his kennel, and chicks and kitten accompany him whenever he goes for a stroll.

CEASE-TO-BE A DOG.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 13.—Dr. Ostrofsky, who attended the Czar when his sickness began last September at the castle at Shiba, has been summoned to the castle at Tsarskoe-Selo. The reason is not known, but the fact that the physician has again been called has started more rumors in regard to the condition of the health of the crown prince.

CHEAP LOTS

Obed avenue, choice lot, city water, 51x120, for \$850
 Terms, \$250 cash, balance 6, 12, 18 and 24 months.

Kerr avenue, next to corner of Tillicum road, high lot, 50x122, for \$900
 Terms, one-third cash.

Tillicum road, close to Burnside road, high lot, 50x133, for \$1000
 Terms, one-third cash.

Portage avenue, close to Gorge road, 100x120, for only \$2200
 Terms one-third cash.

Harriet road, high lot, good view. Size 50x160. Price is \$1250
 Terms, one-third cash.

Irma street, a big lot 50x180, for \$1300
 Terms, one-third cash.

John Greenwood

Telephone 1425.
 613 Sayward Bldg.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The officers and members of Seghers Council, Y. M. I., are requested to meet at the residence of Capt. W. O'Leary, 2629 Work street, on Wednesday morning at 8:45 a. m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, John J. McKenna.

Take Hillside Avenue cars and get off at Work street.

W. H. HARRIS, Rec. Sec.

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Port Arthur, Ont., Jan. 13.—Wes. Wellington leaves to-night for Halifax play hockey at 1100 per week.

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The word "Dixi" is synonymous with quality. Our only aim in business is to retain the name and standing of the firm that has taken us years to build to its present dimensions. Our reputation for quality goods is well known all over B. C., therefore we are not in a position to jeopardize our standing by placing on the market inferior goods. By reading our daily ads you will notice we purchase goods from all markets of the world, and our only endeavor will be to please the public as public eaters should do. There are certain high quality goods that we carry that cannot be purchased elsewhere.

DIXI H. ROSS & COMPANY

Independent Grocers, 1317 Government Street.
Tels. 50, 51, 52. Liquor Dept. Tel. 53

We Are Shortly Moving

TO THE NEW JONES BUILDING--SAME SIDE, 3 DOORS UP.

Liberal and increasing patronage, larger stocks and Victoria's bright prospects has forced us to seek larger premises in which we can offer improved service to the public.

WHILST THE SAME IS BEING FITTED UP TO BE ABSOLUTELY THE FINEST HARDWARE STORE ON THE COAST

we have inaugurated a series of REMOVAL SALES, and from day to day will announce big reductions on our already acknowledged low and business-building prices. Included will be

STOVES, RANGES, HEATERS, SPARK GUARDS, STOVE BOARDS, ENAMEL AND TINWARE, ALUMINUMWARE, GLASSWARE AND CROCKERY, BUILDERS' HARDWARE, TOOLS.

In fact a general reduction all round. If there is any article in our line you are needing get our price. WE MUST SELL--THE REASON IS OBVIOUS.

Look for further announcements each day.

ISLAND HARDWARE CO.
707 FORT ST. (NEXT TERRACE)
PHONE 2440

EDWIN FRAMPTON

McGregor Block (first floor)
Cor. View and Broad. Phone 225.

Cedar Hill Road--Near fire hall, 45x120. Fine view. One-third cash and 6, 12 and 18 for balance. Price\$1850

Ross St.--Fine lot, sea view. Foul Bay car close to; third cash and terms. Price\$1650

Bethune Ave., Cloverdale--Five minutes to car, orchard lot; quarter cash and terms. Price\$950

New B. C. E. Rail--Close to car, inside three mile circle; lots for a quick sale \$850; cash \$150 and monthly terms. These will be worth much more in a few weeks when cars start.

Carlin St. (off. Cook)--49x120, good, grassy lot; cash \$250; price \$950

Doncaster Drive--Near Hillside car, 50x112; price only \$550; cash \$250

PARKDALE SPECIALS

Parkdale--Corner lot; worth \$1000. 1/2 cash, balance 6, 12, 18 mos. \$800

Parkdale--Lot in block 12. Fine opportunity; third cash. \$900

Parkdale--Créneau, avenue (C. N. R.). Cash \$250. \$25.00 a month. Price is\$1000

Swan Ave. (C. N. R. track--Nice lot. Cash \$250. and quarterly terms. Price\$850

Hampton Rd.--Close to Parkdale and car line, nice lot; \$250 cash and terms. Price\$950

Albina St.--Between Burnside and Hampton; 1/2 cash, 6, 12 and 18. Price\$850

Oak Street--Cloverdale--2 rooms, pantry and bathroom, on nice lot, cash, \$400 and \$25 monthly. Price\$2350

Humboldt St.--Choice position, 7-room, modern house, on 56x140 to a lane; \$2500 cash will secure. This is only few minutes' walk from Empress hotel and post office. Price is very low.

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VOTERS' LEAGUE IS OPPOSED TO REEVE.**ENDORSE SAUNDERS IN ESQUIMALT ELECTION**

Candidates Mesher and McAdam in Ward One Attack Mr. Lugin in Speeches

The candidatures of John R. Saunders for reeve of Esquimalt, of James S. McAdam, J. Mesher and Alex. Stewart for councillors of Ward 1, and of George Robson for councillor in Ward 2, were endorsed by the newly-formed Voters' League of that municipality which met in the Soldiers' and Sailors' hall on Saturday evening.

Objection was taken at the meeting to the endorsement of more than the required number of candidates in Ward 1, so another meeting will be held this evening in the same hall to make a final selection for all three wards. The endorsement of Mr. Saunders as reeve was most emphatic, and the resolution, as carried, formed the association into a campaign committee of the whole for his election.

Promises to carry out a reclamation of the contract given to C. H. Topp as municipal engineer and that all men employed on municipal jobs and contracts should be ratepayers and earn \$3 a day for an eight-hour day were made by Mr. Saunders.

"But every councillor promised us that at the last election, and there is not a man on the street in the township's employ that is getting \$3 a day," objected a man in the hall.

"Then Mr. Lugin must have been the whole show," said Mr. Saunders. "If I find any contractor not living up to this requirement he will not be long on the job."

Mr. Saunders uttered an emphatic denial of a rumor which had been brought to his notice that he was put forward to obstruct a third candidate from appearing in the field and would then withdraw at the last moment and permit Mr. Lugin to go in unopposed.

"I am in the field to stay," he said. "Councillor McAdam in appealing for re-election in Ward 1 said he had not run for reeve partly because of ill-health which might hamper him in the full performance of his duties, but mainly because he knew that if he was elected and the council, of one elected and the other returned, he would be so antagonistic that the work of the council would be hampered. He had opposed the contract submitted to Mr. Topp because the municipality could not afford the expense. If he could have had even \$1,000 of the difference between Mr. Topp's probable salary on the proposed commission basis he could have fixed up Grafton street beautifully."

"But the reeve told me," said Mr. McAdam, "that I had nothing to do with the expenditure of money on public work in my ward, and I said that if I was re-elected next year I would see that I had some say. He practically said then, although he wouldn't admit it last night, that if he was returned he would see that I had no say."

"There was a funny councillor here last night who bragged about having done nothing all year and yet he reviled me for exalting my own virtues because I had been trying to do some work. If you return me I shall see that I have some of the work as well as some of the responsibility."

J. Mesher continued the attack on Reeve Lugin, who, he said, always had his way.

"Councillor Peters," he said, "would get up and talk for 15 or 20 minutes and then he would sit down and vote for it. All the others did the same thing. If they wouldn't vote for it one night the reeve would have a shelled for a week and next meeting they would all come up and vote for it like little lambs. The reeve always had his way."

Alex. Stewart, when proposed for councillor, said he would support giving municipal labor to ratepayers and paying them the standard wage of the day.

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LIGHT SESSION OF CITY COUNCIL TO-NIGHT

Aldermen Will Take Farewell of Each Other at Closing Session of Authority

The shadow of the election will be over the city hall to-night, and there will not be much business done at the council meeting beyond the handling of routine subjects. Reference has already been made to Alderman Cuthbert's motion that the city clerk should notify the Dominion Securities, Limited, of the intention of the council not to renew its agreement with the company to handle its fiscal business in future. On account of the meeting being the last one there will not be anxiety on part of some of the aldermen to proceed with the motion at present. An attempt will probably be made to defer consideration till the first meeting of the incoming body.

The reports of the medical health officer and of the city electrician for the past year are expected at the meeting of the council. There will also be two or three detail reports to be adopted, and a number of local improvement motions.

The aldermen will adjourn early, as some of them wish to speak at the campaign meetings to-night.

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